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SENATORS PUT BAKER THROUGH HOT CROSS-FIRE

Secretary's Declaration That War Supplies Are Adequate, They Contend, Is Such as to Mislead the Country as to the Real Condition.

"SHOULD NOT BE LULLED TO SLEEP"

Baker Explains He Meant That Men Ready for Fighting Line Are Adequately Equipped; Camp Shortages.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Secretary Baker's examination today before the Senate Military Committee was warmed up by a rapid cross-fire of questions by Senators of both parties who did not agree with the generally favorable view of war preparations depicted by Baker's statement of yesterday.

The Senators declared his declaration that war supplies were adequate would mislead the country. Senator Weeks declared the country "should not be lulled to sleep by a general statement of facts that don't exist."

Baker explained that he meant to convey only the impression that all the men ready for the fighting line were adequately equipped.

Senators Wadsworth and Weeks (Rep.) and Senators Chamberlain and Hichcock (Dem.), took the lead in cross-examining the Secretary and at times handled him without gloves.

Chairman Chamberlain at the outset said there were fears for powder production.

"The situation is satisfactory, and I think supplies are and will continue adequate," replied Secretary Baker.

Senator Wadsworth asked about the Board of Labor standards, which, testimony has said, has pacifists and Socialists among its members and is requiring new specifications in army cloth contracts which will reduce production.

"I know their character and expert qualifications well," said Secretary Baker in defense of the board.

Calls Delay Slight.

Senator Wadsworth said the board's requirements were so rigid that production of army garments is being delayed.

Any delay is slight, Secretary Baker said, and health of factory workers is an important consideration.

"I must disagree with you that the delay is slight," said Senator Wadsworth.

Senator Wadsworth said a witness had testified the board's contract standards threaten to cause strikes and require employers to receive labor leaders. He thought labor agitators would stir up trouble.

Baker denied knowledge that any considerable number of contractors were refusing to execute contracts because of the new labor standards.

Senator Weeks thought the board had too large and very drastic powers, but Baker contended the board's functions are purely advisory. Chairman Kerstein, he said, was a Boston business man, Capt. Krensl an army officer, and the third member, Florence Kelly, a social welfare worker.

Senator Weeks challenged the statement that the board was only advisory and complained of the multiplicity of new and special boards and committees.

"Persons with business are passed along from corridor to corridor and building to building, trying to find the right Federal agency with which to do business," said the Senator.

Ordnance Bureau Assailed.

Turning to artillery, Senator Wadsworth assailed the Ordnance Bureau for not continuing manufacture of French 240-milimeter guns instead of proceeding with manufacture of American 9.5 guns, none of which have been delivered and whose ammunition is not interchangeable with the French.

Secretary Baker said he thought, but was not sure, that the department was making the French type and promised to give further information.

Senator Wadsworth asked whether, in view of the shortage of artillery and machine guns, the Secretary's statement that there were sufficient supplies "substantially for rush needs" was correct.

"Yes, perfectly, as I understand it," said Baker. "Our rush needs are satisfied."

Senator Chamberlain asked Baker how he could say that when cantonments were short rifles and machine guns and artillery.

"I mean that we have sufficient for the men actually engaged in fighting."

"You mean then that there is enough for men in France?" said

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Churchill Appeals for More American Troops

British Minister of Munitions Urges Sending of Men as Quickly and in as Great Numbers as Is Possible.

LONDON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Winston Spencer Churchill, British Minister of Munitions, addressing the American Luncheon Club today, made a powerful appeal for the sending of American soldiers to Europe quickly and in as large numbers as possible.

The reception of the war aims of Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson by the Central Powers, the Minister declared, showed a gulf that no bridge could span. He added that Great Britain and the United States, having issued their war aims, now must bend every effort to the practical work of enforcing them on the enemy.

England must melt all her resources, he continued, into war work. Women must draw nearer to the firing lines and do more manual labor to relieve workingmen for the ranks of the army. Rations, he said, must be cut down. "The only way to shorten the suffering and torment," the Minister asserted, "is to increase the pace."

Referring to America's participation in the war, Churchill said:

"You have accepted an immense responsibility. Never in history has so great a nation undertaken so great a task. Your aid is vitally needed in this great struggle and needed soon."

Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador, presided at the luncheon which was attended by 200 persons. Those at the luncheon included Lord Northcliffe, Baron Rhondda, food controller; Sir Albert Stanley, president of the British Board of Trade; Vice Admiral Sims, commander of the American naval forces in European waters; Robert Skinner, American Consul-General in London; Gen. Bridges of the British general staff; Col. E. D. Swinton, one of the inventors of the British tanks; Sir Thomas Lipton and Sir Gilbert Parker, the novelist.

Churchill said England had sufficient reserve material to fully equip the several hundred thousand Americans when they landed in Europe. He advocated that shipping should be devoted to bringing men and finished or half-finished products rather than bulky raw materials.

Mr. Churchill said England had guns, men and fuses waiting for shells. Preparations were under way, he added to meet the German hordes coming from the east.

Although he had no doubt of victory, Mr. Churchill declared the coming year would be the hardest of the war.

REPUBLIC OF THE DON IN RUSSIA DECLARED FORMED

Gen. Kaledines Is Reported From Rostov to Be President and Premier.

PETROGRAD, Thursday, Jana. 10.—Reports from Rostov today say that the republic of the Don has been declared existent with Gen. Kaledines as President and Prime Minister.

GEPHART PREDICTS NEW ORDER FOR FURTHER WHEAT SAVING

Local Food Chairman, Returned From Washington Conference, Tells of Plan.

William F. Gephart, chairman of the United States Food Administration Committee of St. Louis, returned from Washington early today, after attending a conference last Monday and Tuesday of the State and city food administrators from 38 states.

The Food Administration, Gephart said, is about to announce new regulations governing bakeries and the manufacture of all wheat products, which will greatly increase the saving of these commodities.

"The decision of the Government to give the allies 90,000,000 additional bushels of wheat," Gephart continued, "will necessitate greatly increased conservation on the part of the American people. These new regulations have this end in view.

"After inquiring among the food administrators of the large eastern cities, I find that St. Louis has responded as well as any city in the country, in the observance of the laws and regulations of the Food Administration. The prices of foodstuffs here are in some cases lower than they are in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and several other cities, while some commodities are a little higher, particularly bread."

NET PROFIT 34.65 PER CENT

CHICAGO, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Net profits far surpassing all previous records are reported by Swift & Co., packers, for the fiscal year ending with September, 1917. The profits given are equivalent to 34.65 per cent on the company's $100,000,000 capital stock, compared with the net profits of $20,465,000 in the 1916 fiscal year which were equal to 27.29 per cent on the $75,000,000 stock then outstanding.

SWITCHMAN KILLED ON BRIDGE

George H. Leish, 34 years old, of 4242 Swan avenue, a terminal switchman, was found dead on the railroad deck of Eads Bridge this morning. His head was cut and his left arm broken.

Leish is known to have started across the bridge on the pilot of an engine about 4 a. m. He is supposed to have fallen from the footboard.

VIRGINIA SENATE FOR DRY ACT

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 11 (By A. P.). — The national prohibition amendment was ratified last night by the Virginia Senate by a vote of 30 to 8. A resolution to submit the amendment to a referendum was defeated 28 to 10. It is expected that the House of Delegates will vote today.

Virginia will be the second State to ratify the amendment if the action of the House is favorable.

$750,000 Fire; Temperature 20 Below Below.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, Jan. 11.—Fire today destroyed the Enderton office and store building in the heart of Winnipeg's retail district, causing loss estimated at more than $1,000,- loss estimated at more than $750,- grees below zero.

LIMBURGER CHEESE CAUSES DISSENT AT NEGRO PARTY

Master of Ceremonies Throws It Out, Wields Ice Pick and Vanishes; Other Guests Arrested.

There was a "pound" party last night at the home of Mrs. Mabel Williams, negro, 3940 Papin street, and each guest brought a pound of something. One woman brought a pound of limburger cheese.

Levy Simmons, self-constituted master of ceremonies, threw the cheese out and was rebuked by Mrs. Williams. Levy got an ice pick and jabbed Mrs. Williams in the forehead. Her brother, Adolph Woodrow, went to her assistance and was jabbed in the left shoulder. Someone turned in a riot call and the police broke up the party by arresting the 12 persons present.

Simmons had gone when the police arrived.

WOMAN HELD AS GERMAN SPY

California Prisoner Had Seditious Letters in Her Possession.

HANFORD, Cal., Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Elizabeth Guistorf was arrested here today and held on suspicion of being a German spy.

Two seditious letters, one referring to Fort Grant, Ore., and the Presidio of San Francisco and the other to a set of plans, were discovered in her possession.

Class 1 to Be Fighting Men.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Drafted men placed in class 1 of the selective service will not be given commissions in the noncombatant arm of the service, under a resolution adopted by the War Council and approved by Secretary Baker. It is the announced purpose of the War Department to draw fighting men from this class of registrants

SUDDEN HASTE SHOWN TO PASS U. R. MEASURE

Aldermanic Committee Decides to Adopt Amendments Monday and Report It Friday.

GIVES LONG FRANCHISE

Essentially Same Proposition Which Experts, After Analysis, Have Denounced.

In sudden haste to pass the bill granting the United Railways a franchise for 31 years, recognizing a capitalization of $60,000,000 and exempting the company from the mill tax and all occupation taxes, the Aldermanic Public Utilities Committee has decided to adopt amendments to the pending measure, Monday night, and report it to the Board of Aldermen next Friday.

P. J. Grimes, president of the Central Trades and Labor Union, at a mass meeting Thanksgiving eve, in protest against the measure, said that the referendum would be invoked if the compromise was put through. Other protestants have made similar statements at public hearings.

As it stands, with amendments made or pledged by the committee, the bill is essentially the proposition which has been opposed by experts and franchise authorities who have analyzed its provisions in articles recently published from time to time in the Post-Dispatch.

Receivership Suit Pending.

A suit asking for restitution to stockholders of not less than $4,500,000 and the appointment of a receiver for the United Railways is pending in the Federal District Court. A hearing of the petition will be held about Feb. 1, the date not having been definitely set.

Evidence of anxiety to rush the pending United Railways bill to passage was manifest among the members of the Public Utilities Committee at its meeting last night. Chairman Schwartz's suggestion that the proposed amendments contemplating the furnishing of a "minimum service" and that the payment of the mill tax should be exacted within a year after the franchise was accepted by the company, was rejected by his associates.

At one stage of the meeting Alderman Hampe, brother-in-law of John Schmoll, Director of Public Welfare and Chairman of the Republican City Committee, declared that if Chairman Schwartz did not put a motion to vote on the adoption of the amendment giving the company five years in which to pay the mill tax, "the vice chairman would put it." Alderman Reis is vice chairman.

Alderman Schrantz of the Twenty-seventh Ward declared that if the amendments were not promptly adopted he would attend no further meetings of the committee. Alderman Baur said the committee should "quit kidding and pass the bill."

Urged to Report Bill.

Circuit Clerk Nat Goldstein, Republican Committeeman from the Nineteenth Ward, has been urging members of the Public Utilities Com-

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Leon Trotzky's Message

"The Bolsheviki and the World Peace"

One of the Most Remarkable Documents of the Great War

STARTS SUNDAY IN THE

POST-DISPATCH

In these remarkable articles that strike the keynote of international affairs, the Bolshevik Minister of Foreign Affairs makes it clear that the present Russian Government is NOT PRO-GERMAN, but is opposed to militarism, Hohenzollernism and the Hapsburg dynasty and misrule. "Russian freedom," says Trotzky, "must not be bought at the expense of France and Belgium."

Who Is Trotzky?

Hardly six months ago he was living in a New York tenement working as a journalist to pay off small debts. Today Leon Trotzky is one of the central figures of the world war. Furthermore, these articles by Trotzky will tell just what the Bolsheviki are striving for and hope to get—the world revolution—a democratic peace against imperialism and capitalism and the state everywhere—and the establishment of a free world-wide democracy. To understand all phases of the war you must understand Russia. To understand Russia, Trotsky's message must be read. These articles will appear only in the

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AND EACH DAY THEREAFTER

WILSON'S TERMS ARE REJECTED BY GERMAN PAPERS

Proposition Utterly Unacceptable and Discussion Is Useless, One Writer Declares.

PRESIDENT ATTACKED

Executive "Has Erected a Brutal Military Dictatorship," Says Allgemeine Zeitung.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—The Nachrichten of Dusseldorff rejects President Wilson's proposition as utterly unacceptable and says that discussion is useless.

"It may be hard," it says, "after three years of war, but a decision must be sought on the battlefield. It is not our wish, but we shall not leave the field except with honor."

The Allgemeine Zeitung of Essen says: "President Wilson seems not to know that the smallest appropriation for the army requires the sanction of the Reichstag, the most democratic Parliament in the world. Yet he, who, unheeding the spirit of the American Constitution, has erected a brutal military dictatorship in his own country, now presumes to talk about autocracy in free Germany."

"Not a Peace Program."

The Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, the semi-official German organ, published at Berlin, says:

"The 14 points do not form a program for world peace, but a real symphony of will to no peace. Beginning with his joyful fanfare of freedom of the seas and other things, on which the whole world is agreed, even if diversity of opinion exists regarding the method of realization, Mr. Wilson's intervention is not wanted. Having the opportunity of serving peace, he has not only failed, but has clearly expressed a contrary intention.

"Appealing to the self-determination of nations, he presumes to interfere in the internal affairs of Austria-Hungary and proclaims the policy of doing violence to nations with disregard for all historical and racial facts.

"With equal nonchalance he finds reason for the partition of Turkey, such as could only be voiced by a man whose policy aims at playing off, one against another, of peoples and parts of people who belong together and are conscious of their homogeneity."

"Unacceptable and Brutal."

The Koelnische Volkszeitung says: "President Wilson's program substantially squares with Lloyd George's. It is unacceptable for us as is the British and is more brutal still than that of Lloyd George. He demands the severance from the German Empire of Alsace-Lorraine, which is nine-tenths inhabited by Germans, and he undisguisedly demands the severance from the empire of parts of Prussia inhabited by the Poles."

The Berliner Lokal Anzeiger in an article under the heading: "Entente's Wire Puller," speaks of the "unbranded impudence with which the leading statesmen of the multiple alliance deceive the whole world."

Vienna Press Comment.

The Vienna newspapers, according to dispatches from that city, consider President Wilson's proposed peace conditions such as could only be imposed if the quadruple alliance were completely defeated.

The Fremdenblatt, in declaring them unacceptable, says: "President Wilson's message reveals clearer than Lloyd George's speech the intentions of our enemies to let Russia continue to bleed for the selfish aims of the Entente."

The Neue Freie Press says: "President Wilson is superior even to Lloyd George in his capacity for deceiving the nation. President Wilson interspersses his 14 points with popular principles in order to deceive the masses who do not know our conditions. The message also, of course, aims at breaking up the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk.

"President Wilson says that the time for conquest and aggrandizement has gone by—of course, for the Central Powers, not for the Entente. He admits that Russia is impotent and helpless. He cannot deny that the Central Powers' proposals are capable of a liberal interpretation; yet he continues slandering and war baiting."

New Barrier Erected.

The Neues Wiener Tagblatt says: "President Wilson must be made clearly to understand that it is useless to try to win over the Central Powers for the Entente's plan of disruption and disintegration. Austria-Hungary will be the master of its own house. Our peoples do not need Mr. Wilson's proctorship. If President Wilson is unable to appreciate the justice of the Central Powers' standpoint we can but patiently wait, for it will not be much longer before our enemies learn to sift the impossible from the possible."

The Neues Wiener Journal argues that President Wilson's demand for the restitution of Alsace-Lorraine erects a new barrier.

Die Zeit also declares that this demand cannot be discussed and that interference with the monarchy's affairs is inadmissible, but notes with

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12 Below Zero to Follow Blizzard Tonight; Heavy Snowfall Delays Traffic

Coldest Weather of the Winter and Lowest Temperature Here in Several Years Predicted--29-Mile Gale Carrying Snow.

Forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Clearing and colder tonight, with temperature about 12 degrees below zero. Tomorrow fair and continued cold.

An increasingly heavy snowfall, and cold which grew more intense as the day advanced, interfered with traffic this morning. Greater interference is expected tonight, when the coldest weather of the winter thus far, and the lowest temperature in several years, is officially predicted.

Below-zero weather began at noon, when the official reading was 1 below. At 1 o'clock it was 2 below. The prediction for tonight is 12 below. Last winter's lowest record was 10 below on Feb. 10 last. Jan. 7, 1912, the reading was 14 below, and Feb. 13, 1905, it was 18 below. The record low temperature here is 23 below on Jan 29, 1873.

Origin of Cold Wave.

The cold wave, according to dispatches from Weather Bureau headquarters in Washington, came from North Saskatchewan, where the temperature is 42 below zero, and extended over the plains states and into the Missouri and lower Arkansas valleys, the west Gulf states and the extreme southwestern part of the country. It is expected to spread from the Ohio Valley southward, tonight and tomorrow. There was an eight-inch snowfall in Little Rock, Ark., and heavy snows in Kansas and Oklahoma, with the promise of benefit to the Kansas winter wheat crop.

Last night's snowfall was comparatively light, the measurement from 7 p. m. to 7 a. m. being 2.2 inches. There was already some snow on the ground, which fell a few days before. After daylight the snowfall became heavier, and at 11 a. m. a 29-mile wind from the North was carrying a volume of snow which threatened a general tie-up of traffic.

Every effort was made to keep street car service and train movements from being blockaded, and snowplows and sweepers were used in the streets and on rights of way.

Coal Conditions Fairly Good.

Coal conditions were reported to be fairly good, and it was said there would be no lack of fuel for residence and business uses, even if the intense cold and storm conditions should last for several days.

Reports received by the St. Louis Fuel Committee showed that local dealers had about 30,000 tons of coal in their yards, that an equal amount was on the way from Illinois mines, and that coal shipments would have priority on the railroads. The municipal coal yards, selling at 16 cents a bushel, will be able to meet the expected large demand on them. It is estimated that the average home has a week's supply of coal on hand at present, and that larger users are fairly well supplied.

East Side electric lines kept their tracks to Alton, Edwardsville and Belleville open, although some early cars were delayed. Regular service was established on most of the lines by 9 o'clock.

Street Cars Delayed.

Frequent delays occurred in street car service this morning and crosstown cars and those of some of the North St. Louis lines appeared at intervals and in bunches.

The Bellefontaine line in North St. Louis was tied up for a time by obstructions at the north end of the line, near Calvary Cemetery. The Cass line was operated under difficulties, and passengers of the Belt Line, in many cases, walked to other lines because of the delay of the Belt Line cars. Trips downtown from North St. Louis points, usually made in 35 minutes, took an hour or more. The Hodiamont and Laclede lines were operated as near the normal schedule as any.

Some Olive cars were an hour in getting downtown from De Baliviere avenue, because of drifts on the tracks. The usual time is 35 minutes.

Nearly all incoming trains were reported several hours late, and those from the South and Southwest were 4 to 10 hours late. A Chicago train marked "on time" was a novelty on the Union Station bulletin board. Trains from Chicago and the East were not so much delayed, in general, as those from Arkansas, Texas and Oklahoma.

The ehtire track and yard force of the Terminal Association, with the addition of several hundred extra men, is being employed in keeping the switches open in the St. Louis and East St. Louis yards. The wind carried the snow into the mechanically operated switches, and in order to keep them open it was necessary to burn oil in all the working joints. The oil was poured into the switches and set on fire to prevent freezing. Officials and employes of all office departments of the company aided in this work, so that trains might not be delayed after reaching the Terminal yards.

The M., K. & T. from Texas, due at 7:28 a. m., was marked up for 3:28 p. m., eight hours late. The Texas Special, operated by the M., K. & T. and the Frisco, due at 11:10 a. m., was scheduled at noon to arrive at 5:40 p. m.

The C. & A. from Chicago, due at 7:45, arrived at 9:13 and the Illinois Central from the South, due at 7:44, arrived at 9:44. The Pennsylvania from Pittsburg, due at 8:30, arrived at 9:37. The Big Four from the East, due at 7:30, arrived at 9:35.

One hundred and thirty-five men were sheltered last night in the Municipal Lodging House, 110 South Twelfth street. This was only one-third of the number which was received at the lodging house on the colder days of last winter, that number usually having been 400 or more. Last winter was much less severe than the present winter, but the number of unemployed men was then much greater. Besides the 135 in the lodging house, a few were housed in police stations.

The lodging house guests were employed, after breakfast, by the Columbia Transfer Co., which undertook the task of clearing the snow from Spruce street from Twelfth street to Third, and Third street to Eads Bridge, at its own expense, in order to get its wagons across the bridge without delay.

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	13	8 a. m.	3
2 a. m.	13	9 a. m.	2
3 a. m.	13	10 a. m.	1
4 a. m.	12	11 a. m.	*0
5 a. m.	11	Noon	*1
6 a. m.	8	1 p. m.	*2
7 a. m.	6		

*Below zero.

Yesterday: High, 21 at 3 a. m.; low, 12 at 8 a. m.

Stage of river, zero at 7 a. m., fall of .2 foot.

Missouri—Generally fair in west and central portion. Probably snow in extreme east portion tonight. Colder in the eastern and southern portions. Tomorrow generally fair, not quite so cold in west central portion.

Illinois—Snow and colder tonight. Cold wave in eastern and central portions. Tomorrow partly cloudy and continued cold. Probably snow flurries near Lake Michigan. Fresh northwest winds.

NEGRO BURGLAR POSES AS A CLOTHING STORE DUMMY

Clothing store dummies were unsuccessfully used as camouflage by a negro burglar in the Edward Markman Loan Co. store at 1531 Market street at 1 a. m. today.

An automatic alarm called policemen to the store but they found no trace of the burglar until they reached the second floor where a number of the dummies were stored. The negro standing rigid among them was the only one that jumped when rapped on the shins with a nightstick.

The negro gave his name as Tom Adams and said he recently came from Tennessee. Revolvers, watches and jewelry taken from the store were found in his pockets.

No Frills on Men's Clothes.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Men's clothing will be shorn of many of their frills this year owing to the war needs for wool, it has been decided by the National Association of Clothing Designers at its sixteenth semi-annual convention in this city. The designers voted to eliminate "patch pockets," belts, plaits and yokes.

PAPERBOARD MAKERS ORDERED TO CURTAIL USE OF COAL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—The first order for curtailment of the consumption of fuel in industry has been given by Fuel Administrator Garfield, directing all manufacturers of paperboard to suspend absolutely the use of fuel in their plants between 7 o'clock Saturday morning and the same hour Monday morning.

Compliance with the order is made obligatory under a penalty. It is estimated that the actual saving of coal to be effected will amount to 15,000 tons weekly, or 780,000 tons annually. Similar orders affecting other industries, probably nearly 100 in all, will be issued later.

BILL TO TAKE NAVY OIL LAND

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—A bill prepared by the Navy Department to authorize the Government to take possession, either by contract, lease or otherwise, upon the issuance of an executive order, of all oil land set aside as naval reserves in California or Wyoming, was today introduced by Senator Swanson of the Naval Committee.

GERMANS WITHDRAW PEACE TERMS

German Foreign Secretary Announces Document Presented Dec. 25 Has Become Void Because of Nonacceptance.

Czernin Declares Failure of Allies to Participate Makes Separate Peace With Russia Alternative.

Dr. Von Kuehlmann, Refusing to Move the Conference, Says an Agreement Should Be Possible.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—The Central Powers have withdrawn their peace terms made public at the Brest-Litovsk conference on Dec. 25, it was announced by Dr. von Kuehlmann, the German Foreign Secretary, in his speech at the Brest-Litovsk conference with the Russians yesterday.

Owing to the non-acceptance by all the enemy Powers of those terms, Dr. von Kuehlmann stated, that document had "become null and void."

Doubt as to Russian Intention.

Dr. von Kuehlmann said the first task of the conference was to resume negotiations at the point where they were broken off at the time of the Christmas adjournment. Referring to the fixed determination of the Central Powers not to accede to the Russian suggestion of transferrence of the negotiations to neutral territory, he said Germany and her allies were not in a position to conduct elsewhere the discussions begun at Brest-Litovsk, although they were willing to have final formal negotiations carried on and the signatures to the preliminary agreement affixed at some place to be agreed upon after the debate. He continued:

"As for the conduct of the negotiations the atmosphere in which they take place is extremely important. It must be mentioned that since the conclusion of the exchange of views before the temporary interruption of the negotiations much has happened which appeared calculated to create doubt as to the sincere intention of the Russian Government to arrive at speedy peace with the Powers of the Quadruple Alliance. I may refer to the tone of certain semiofficial declarations of the Russian Government against the Central Powers, especially the declaration of the Petragrad telegraph agency, which is regarded abroad as the semi-official Russian agency."

It reproduced in detail a reply M. Joffe (a member of the Russian delegation) is alleged to have made at the sitting on Dec. 28 which, as the protocol shows, originated solely in the imagination of its author. The entirely unfounded report has had a good deal to do in confusing judgment in regard to the course of the negotiations and in endangering their results."

(This dispatch may mean either, 1. That the peace negotiations between Russian and the Central Powers are terminated; or, 2, that the specific terms of the Central Powers, expressed Dec. 25 (which included reference to a "general peace") are withdrawn because of failure of the allies to enter the conference, and that negotiation with Russia may continue over some new proposals for a separate peace.)

Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, at a full sitting of the peace conference at Brest-Litovsk yesterday, said that as Russia's allies had not replied to the invitation to participate in the negotiations, it was now a question of a separate peace between Russia and the Central Powers.

He gave reasons for not wishing to transfer the negotiations to neutral territory and said that if the Russians were animated by the same intentions as the Central Powers, the result of the negotiations would be satisfactory. If not, responsibility for war would fall exclusively on the Russians.

Dr. von Kuehlmann, the German Foreign Minister, said he considered that the difficulties which had interrupted the previous negotiations were not sufficient to justify the failure of the peace work and a resumption of hostilities. He said that it was the fixed and unchangeable determination of the Central Powers not to conduct elsewhere the peace negotiations begun at Brest-Litovsk.

Account of Peace Parley.

A Brest-Litovsk dispatch, giving an account of the session yesterday, says it was opened at 11 o'clock, all the delegations, including the Ukrainians, participating. Talaat

Pasha, the Turkish Grand Vizier, called the meeting to order and turned over the chair to Dr. von Kuehlmann, who said:

"Inasmuch as changes have occurred in the composition of some of the delegations, it will not be out of place to give a short survey of the history of the course of the negotiations."

After a lengthy review of the proceedings to date, Dr. von Kuehlmann said he hoped they would lead to a salutatory result. His hope was based on knowledge gained during the negotiations and on the expressing by the Russian delegation of the Russian people's wish for secure and lasting peace. He continued:

"I consider that the difficulties met with up to the time the negotiations were interrupted were not great enough to cause the failure of the peace work and, presumably, resumption of war in the east, with its unforeseen consequences."

View of Hungarian Premier.

Premier Wekerle of Hungary came to Berlin, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Az Est of Budapest, to discuss credit and financial conditions with the German treasury and financiers. He is quoted as saying: "We hope for peace with Russia. Therefore the question of transitional economies must first be settled. We discussed what should be done for the financial demands of the state."

The negotiations at Brest-Litovsk, Premier Wekerle said he believed would take a favorable course. He said that there was a special desire on both sides to make safe the economic part of a preliminary peace. The Ukrainians, he added, had shown a great conciliatory spirit and they had great interest in entering economic questions with the Central Powers. The Premier continued: "It can only rejoice us if independent Ukraine extends us her hand."

Lenine Expresses Fear That War Must Continue.

LONDON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Nickolai Lenine, the Bolshevik Premier, although he has possibly gone on a holiday to Finland, also possibly may go to Stockholm to confer with German and Austrian Socialists, the Petrograd correspondent of the Daily News says. In a speech before his departure from Petrograd, Premier Lenine said:

"I fear we shall have to stop the demobilization and prepare for war. If Germany and her allies do not accept our conditions of peace we will declare a revolutionary war on them."

The correspondent emphasizes the independence of an agreement between Bolshevik and Ukrainian negotiators, as the position of the Rada has lessened Trotzky's chances of obtaining a satisfactory peace. He said that if the Germans could buy off the Ukraine, the significance within Germany of Trotzky's stand would be cut in half. The correspondent adds that nothing is more foolish than to suppose that because the Ukraine oppose the Bolsheviki it therefore favors the allies and prosecutors of the war.

Confirming previous reports that the Bolsheviki are preparing to reestablish the fighting power of the army against a possible final break in the negotiations with the Central Powers, the Petrograd correspondent of the Daily News says that they are not attempting to reanimate the old wornout army, but to create a new and much smaller one. Concerning this new army, Foreign Minister Trotzky is reported to have said:

"It will wage not war, but revolution. Its front trenches will be barricades against oppressors."

The Bolsheviki doubt whether the German soldiers will advance, but if they do, and take more territory, they will be no nearer an end of the war. The correspondent says that the greatest difficulties of the Bolsheviki in these preparations are transport and supply, of which the former is the less hopeful question. Ensign Krylenko, the Bolshevik Commander in Chief, is reported to be organizing a volunteer army, and has ordered all officers to return to the posts they held before the Bolshevik revolution.

Attempt at Class Warfare.

In reference to the civil wars in different parts of Russia, the correspondent says they are not wars by one part of Russia against another, but attempts to spread class warfare in those parts where the proletariat has not yet obtained the upper hand. Thus, the Bolsheviki are not warring against the Ukraine, but against the Bourgeoise Ukrainian Rada; not with the Cossack country, but with the military government of the Cossacks.

Senator Brady Critically Ill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Senator James H. Brady of Idaho is critically ill at his home here as the result of heart attacks. His physicians have hopes for his recovery. Senator rBady was taken ill on a train Saturday while en route from Chicago to Washington.

SENATORS QUESTION BAKER IN INQUIRY ABOUT ARMY SUPPLIES

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Senator McKellar. "Yes," said the Secretary.

"Your statement that we have substantially enough gives a wrong impression to the country, when we have only enough for men actually in the fighting and not for those in training," Senator Wadsworth interjected.

"Gives Wrong Impression."

"I agree with Senator Wadsworth," said Chairman Chamberlain, "that your statement gives a wrong impression to the country. It was not your purpose, but it is its effect."

"What I meant to say and what I want the country to understand," Baker replied earnestly, "is that all the troops in France will be adequately equipped with artillery and arms."

"Probably," observed Senator Chamberlain.

"I have assurances to that effect," Baker testified.

"The statement leaves the impression that the situation is a rosy one and that we have all the artillery needed," said Senator Wadsworth. "I disagree. It is not an accurate description of the situation."

Baker insisted that his statement regarding adequacy of ordnance for "rush needs" was substantially correct. He admitted that ordnance was needed for training men in camp. Time needed to train men in France, he said, will give time to increase ordnance supplies.

Senator Weeks cited the general ordnance shortage at Camp Bowie, Tex., testified to by Major-General Greble, commandant.

"You have given the impression that every camp has enough rifles," Senator Weeks observed. "How can you conform that to the statement that there are no requirements of artillery?"

"I did not make that statement," said Baker.

"You gave that impression."

"I said 'initial rush needs' are filled," explained Baker.

"But you ought to define your statements; it gives the country the impression that every need in the camps is supplied," said Weeks.

Baker said rifle shortages since Gen. Greble reported had been substantially corrected. "It would have been very fortunate if we could have gotten machine guns sooner," he added.

"Is there any reason why 1200 should be held in storage?" asked Senator Hitchcock, referring to testimony by Gen. Crozier to that effect. "I didn't know that," said Baker.

Machine Gun Delays.

Reverting to delays in machine-gun deliveries, Senator Hitchcock deplored tardy contracts for Lewis guns and Baker rejoined that large production of Browning guns would begin in February. This aroused Senator Hitchcock.

"That isn't so," he retorted sharply, slapping his hands together at the Secretary. "We won't have a large quantity before 1919 in actual use. We haven't one now."

"We have nine," Baker suggested, smiling. Seriously he added that production was being speeded up and that his latest information was that quantity production of the Browning guns would begin in February.

Senators Hitchcock and Weeks both called the Secretary's attention to testimony of Gen. Crozier and manufacturers given contracts for the Browning gun that production in quantity would not begin before April. Such testimony, Secretary Baker conceded, would be most reliable.

Secretary Baker's formal statement of yesterday regarding army preparedness, Senator Weeks declared, would "unintentionally mislead the country."

"The country," said the Senator, "should not be lulled to sleep by a general statement of facts that don't exist."

Secretary Answers Calmly.

During the rapid cross-questioning the Secretary was apparently serene, puffing a cigar and answering all questions calmly. Secretary Baker said he was "not surprised" at the machine gun shortage reported at Camp Bowie, in view of the general machine gun situation. Senator Weeks said that witnesses declare machine gun units "are practically throwing their time away" by not having guns for practice. "I think you should give this your immediate and earnest attention," Senator Weeks said.

Deficiency in Saddles.

Secretary Baker added that on Jan. 5 there was a deficiency of 50 per cent in saddles, 40 per cent in saddle blankets; plenty of horses on hand but a small shortage of mules; canteens about 40 per cent short of Feb. 1 needs; small arm ammunition short with production rapidly increasing and motor vehicles short in Europe and in camps. Standardization of motor trucks had delayed supplying cantonments.

"Why nine months after war, are there no rolling kitchens; isn't that unreasonable?" demanded Senator Weeks.

"I can't answer that," Baker replied. "I suppose it is because the training units are not in the field and do not need rolling kitchens. I have not had one single complaint regarding food."

"When are these camps going to have all the supplies they need," Senator Weeks demanded, pounding his fist on the table.

"No comprehensive answer can be given to that," Baker replied, adding that he would give no detailed forecast.

Returning to the question of purchases by the Supplies Committee of the Council of National Defense, Secretary Baker said:

"The process is being stopped and I think it is stopped now."

"What becomes of the committee?" asked Senator McKellar.

"It will disappear," Baker replied, adding that Vice Chairman Eisenman will be commissioned or placed on a salary with the reorganized Quartermaster-General's office.

Objection to Eisenman.

"I want to protest against employment of Mr. Eisenman because of developments in this committee regarding Mr. Eisenman and Mr. Kaplan," said the Senator. "While Mr. Eisenman may be equipped, the revelations before this committee, in my opinion show that Mr. Eisenman should not be retained in any capacity."

Secretary Baker, in reply, praised Eisenman, his business enterprise and judgment.

"I indorse everything I know he has done," said Baker, adding that Eisenman had saved the Government many millions of dollars. He promised to study the committee's testimony regarding Eisenman's services.

Baker Cross-Questioned Yesterday on Prepared Statement.

After Secretary Baker had read his exhaustive prepared statement yesterday, questions began to fly from every side of the committeee table, launching a cross examination that was not concluded at adjournment.

Chairman Chamberlain and other committeemen wanted to know particularly about delays in furnishing machine guns and rifles and much attention was devoted to the army's supply purchasing system. Baker admitted there had been some mistake and delays, but declared that all fighting men in France were adequately equipped and armed, and that all sent over would be. He took full responsibility for delay in approving a machine gun, holding that the value of the Browning gun now developed was worth it. He also said the superior weapon obtained by having the British Enfield rifle re-chambered for American ammunition compensated for the delay there.

Members of the committee were frank in their disapproval of the secret purchasing system of the department. They did not shake Baker's support of it, however. He insisted that it was essential to guard against publicity concerning plants engaged on war work.

Canceled Rag Contract.

The Secretary said he canceled the much-discussed rag-sorting contract on the recommendation of the Quartermaster-General and because the Government proposed to do the rag-sorting work itself. The Base Sorting Co., he said, was to get a profit of only ½ cent a pound.

"Are you willing to assume responsibility for organization of the sorting plant?" asked Senator McKellar.

"I couldn't escape it if I wanted to," Baker answered. "I delegated my authority to Mr. Eisenman. I know nothing improper about it."

Senator McKellar referred to the relationship between Samuel Kaplan of the Supplies Committee and brother interested in the sorting plant, and Secretary Baker said he did not know of the relationship until recently.

"Do you think a policy of that kind is wise?"

"It has turned out to be unwise," said Secretary Baker. "But you can't get anybody to buy things wisely unless you get men who are experienced in their business."

"How much did the blunder or whatever you may call it, cost the Government?" asked Senator Chamberlain.

"Nothing," Baker replied.

Questioned About Secrecy.

Questioned about secrecy attending the awarding of army contracts, Secretary Baker declared he issued an order that they not be made public, and that he considered it a wise policy.

"Don't you know the American people abhor secrecy?" asked Senator McKellar.

"I think," said Baker, "that the location of plants should not be made public, as a military policy."

"Did it endanger factories working for the Navy Department which did make contracts public?" he was asked.

"I can't say as to that."

Senator Frelinghuysen declared that the criticism leveled against the system was that the policy of secrecy permitted some men to get contracts, but prevented others from getting the business.

Baker said that so far as he knew he personally never was advised of the change in specifications by which shoddy was used in uniforms. He had been advised the uniforms were adequate when shoddy was used.

SUDDEN HASTE SHOWN TO PASS U. R. MEASURE

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mittee to report the bill. Alderman Schrantz told a Post-Dispatch reporter that Goldstein recently called him on the telephone to object to the employment of an expert to assist in the preparation of a bill.

"Don't you know the Mayor is against an expert?" Goldstein asked Schrantz, according to the latter's statement.

President Aloe of the Board of Aldermen also told a Post-Dispatch reporter that members of the committee had received suggestions from Goldstein that they oppose a bill authorizing an appropriation for expert advice.

Question of Service.

With the amendments that the Public Utilities Committee last night pledged itself to add to the pending bill, the service on the United Railways under its new franchise, need be only what is now being furnished. The amendments merely incorporate in the bill the orders of the State Public Service Commission, with which the company now contends it is complying.

In addition to the privileges which the company exercises under its present franchises, it will have under the new grant the right to operate mail, express and freight cars, subject to regulations established by the Board of Public Service.

The capitalization of $60,000,000 fixed in "Ordinance No. 2" is recognized in the bill which the Public Utilities Committee purposes reporting to the Board of Aldermen next Friday. As in "Ordinance No. 2," there will be also in the new bill a provision exempting the company from the payment of any mill tax or franchise tax during the period of the grant—31 years. A tax of 3 per cent on the company's gross revenues and a supertax on net earnings in excess of 7 per cent on its capitalization of $60,000,000 is to replace the mill tax and franchise taxes, which now amount to $478,000 a year. Three per cent on the company's gross earnings last year would have yielded about $375,000.

The Board of Control, which was contemplated in the original bill, is retained in the bill which the Public Utilities Committee now advocates. One member of this board is to represent the city and one the company. A third is to be appointed by the St. Louis Court of Appeals in the event of a disagreement between the other two. The Director of Public Utilities or his proxy is to be the city's member.

This board of control is to have supervision and authority over the extensions and service for which the bill purports to provide. The mileage and number and place of the extensions are not yet specified in the amendments, and Aldermen Baur, Reis, Wiehe and Hampe last night objected to a specific provision on the subject.

Baur said his constituents might want one of the extensions. Chairman Schwartz urged that the extension of the Tower Grove and of the Lee avenue lines be required in the bill. No agreement to demand the Tower Grove and Lee avenue extensions was reached by the committee.

At the time City Counselor Daues announced that amendments would be prepared in his office for the Public Utilities Committee, he explained that they were requested by Alderman Reis, one of the members. Reis now says that he did not request Daues to draft the amendments.

Chairman Schwartz last Tuesday night referred to the amendments as "Smith's amendments," meaning Consulting Engineer C. E. Smith. The latter was not in the city yesterday. Chairman Schwartz proposed that the committee await Smith's return so that he could be summoned to explain the amendments, but other members of the committee objected. Finally they exacted from Schwartz a promise that there would be no further consideration of the amendments or the completed bill after next Monday night.

Chairman Schwartz repeatedly asked members of the committee who were counseling haste "why they were in such a 'rush'" and "why so much anxiety." Alderman Reis answered that "something must be done; this committee has dilly-dallied long enough."

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Requirements for a "minimum service." This is the same as the State Public Service Commission has ordered and which the company contends and the State Commission says is being furnished at this time.

An obligation on the part of the company to set aside an annual allowance (the sum of which has not yet been specified) for extension.

A provision under which the city, if desirous of exercising the right of purchasing the company's properties, could condemn them after an appraisement by a commission appointed by the Circuit Court.

Redrafting of a section that in the former bill seemed to bestow immunity from the payment of mill taxes or franchise taxes on any "other company" whose tracks the United Railways "used in whole or in part," so that the exemption will apply only to the latter and its "successors and assigns" or leased properties.

The capitalization of $60,000,000, recognized in the original bill, remains at that figure in the amended ordinance. The term of the franchise—31 years from the date of the company's acceptance—is the same in the amended bill as in the former measure. As in the first ordinance, the amended bill abolishes the mill tax and all franchise taxes now paid by the company and substitutes a tax of 3 per cent on gross income, with a supertax on net earnings above 7 per cent. The board of control contemplated in the original bill as the regulatory body to enforce requirements for extensions and service is retained in the amended ordinance.

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WASHING WON'T RID HEAD OF DANDRUFF

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.—ADV.

PLAN TO FINANCE SUGAR CROP

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Report Many Cases of Rheumatism Now

Says we must keep feet dry; avoid exposure and eat less meat.

"Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat less meat, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of salts occasionally to keep down uric acid.

Rheumatism is caused by poisonous toxin, called uric acid, which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which overcomes uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.—ADV.

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Why Our Soldiers Wait For Clothing

Soldiers can not march without shoes or resist pneumonia in a winter of record-breaking severity without warm clothing and sufficient shelter.

The testimony of General Sharpe before the Senate's Investigation Committee on the shortage of clothing supplies for the soldiers appeals to many an editor in the United States as a most remarkable and instructive account of "the circumlocutory routine and the general red tapery" of the operations of the War Department.

On the other hand the net results of a canvass among members of Congress and officials of the Government Departments made by the *New York Times* brings that journal "to the conclusion that the Government has accomplished a vast amount of work considering the short time elapsed since it began to make preparations in earnest; that there had been some serious mistakes and delays, but that the activity of the War Department is at last distinctly on the upgrade."

In THE LITERARY DIGEST for January 12th, one of the most enlightening articles in this unusually good number deals with the Congressional investigation of the War Department and voices the editorial opinion of the country upon the disclosures. Many illuminating details are presented, and the article is one that will hold the interest of every reader.

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6,000,000 Women in England Will Get the Right to Vote

LONDON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).

THE morning newspapers welcome heartily the decision of the House of Lords on woman suffrage, which gives the right to vote to about 6,000,000 women and ends the long wrangle which has troubled the country for years. It is true that the reading of the bill is to be taken and a motion to submit the question to a referendum is to be disposed of, but it is not believed that this has any prospects of success, even if pressed to a vote.

Mrs. Millicent C. Fawcett, a veteran champion of the woman suffrage movement and who has worked tirelessly for its success for 50 years, said: "I don't say that everybody will be satisfied, but I think we will get the reason when the occasion arises. We certainly do not think of rushing in to ask for more immediately."

The House of Lords by a vote of 134 to 69 rejected the amendment to omit the clause giving women the parliamentary vote.

The debate showed one important convert to the women's cause in the Bishop of London. But Earl Loreburn, the Marquis of Lansdowne, Baron Finlay and Earl Curzon strongly opposed placing the names of 6,000,000 women on the voting register. They argued that the present House of Commons, which had been extended beyond its natural life owing to the war, had no mandate to decide such a momentous question. Moreover, it was illogical, if the vote was given, to stipulate the age of 30 years as a qualification. Lord Curzon argued that wherever women had been granted the vote a stimulus had always been given to Socialists.

The bill to give the vote to English women provides: The franchise will be conferred on any woman on the local Government register, and on the wife of any man who is on the register if she has attained the age of 30 years.

"There were two candidates for the presidency last year," Meeker continued. "Mr. Hughes favored a Federal suffrage amendment, and yet every suffrage State voted against him.

"The gentleman now in the White House passed out the word that he kept us out of war and if he had depended on the suffrage states Germany would be here now. It was a pacifist vote. That is trickery in argument. If there ever was a chance given for the women to stand by the men who were for Federal suffrage it was in the Federal suffrage states last year on the Hughes-Wilson vote, and the man who came out for Federal suffrage was beaten unmercifully.

Dyer Speaks for Resolution.

Representatives Dyer and Decker made speeches in favor of the suffrage resolution. Dyer said he believed it was right, just and proper to give the vote to the women of America and that to give it will aid in the war. He said the St. Louis Republican City Committee had unanimously indorsed the Susan B. Anthony amendment and the Mayor of the city had time and time again officially spoken in favor of it; that there is every evidence the people of this city want to give this right and opportunity to the women because it is just.

Decker's speech was in part a reply to Representative Heflin of Alabama, who, though he paid high tribute to woman, said he could not vote them the franchise. Decker said that, like Heflin, he, too, was proud of his Democracy and his belief in state rights. One of the most important of state rights, however, was the fundamental of the three-quarters of the states to amend the Constitution.

"Some gentlemen seem to think women's sacrifice in time of war is the great reason woman should have the right to vote," he said. "In time of war I dare to stand in the halls of Congress and give you a higher reason why. It is this: They suffer the agonies of hell in time of war, and I demand that women shall have an equal right with men to say when war shall come."

Text of Suffrage Resolution as Adopted by House.

Following is the text of the suffrage resolution as adopted by the House:

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States extending the right of suffrage to women.

Resolved, by the Senate and House, two-thirds of each house concurring therein, That the following article be proposed to the Legislatures of the several states as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which, when ratified by three-fourths of said Legislatures, shall be valid as part of said Constitution, namely:

"Article —. Section 1. The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex.

"Section 2. Congress shall have power, by appropriate legislation, to enforce the provisions of this article.'

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, in a statement today on the House suffrage vote, said it was a nonpartisan victory.

Mrs. Catt Expresses Gratification.

"It is due to no one party that our great victory was won," said Mrs. Catt, "but to the friends of suffrage in all parties. I have always hoped and insisted that suffrage must be won not as a party measure, but on the strength of its appeal to men's sense of right, irrespective of party. Winning in that way yesterday, women are left free to make their party alignments and to carry the question to the state Legislatures on the same nonpartisan basis. Yesterday's vote leaves women pre-eminently beholden to neither of the dominating parties, but deeply indebted to both, because each brought striking and determining influences to bear on behalf of the amendment. On the Democratic side there was the action of the President, the Speaker and four members of the Cabinet in taking their stand for the amendment at a crucial hour.

"Paralleling it on the Republican side, there was the tremendous, active help given us by powerful Republican leaders, topped by the dramatic and effective entrance of Mr. Mann, to cast the great weight of his influence into the Republican scale just as the vote was to be taken.

"To all the leaders, irrespective of party, and to those men who came to vote at great personal sacrifice, the National American Woman Suffrage Association expresses its profound appreciation and extends its sincere thanks."

Statement by Opponent.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, honorary president of the association said:

"When the name of Lincoln is mentioned today the first thought that enters the mind of the world is that he was the emancipator of the slaves. In future generations when the name of Wilson is mentioned the thought of the world will be that the women of the United States were enfranchised during his administration and largely through his assistance. People forget wars and the incidents of war, but they never forget a great forward step in human freedom."

Bolo Pasha Courtmartial Feb. 4.

PARIS, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Bolo Pasha, who is charged with having conducted German propaganda in France, will be tried by courtmartial beginning Feb. 4.

SAYS HOT WATER WASHES POISONS FROM YOUR LIVER

Everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it, before breakfast.

To feel as fine as the proverbial fiddle we must keep the liver washed clean, almost every morning, to prevent its sponge-like pores from clogging with indigestible material, bile and poisonous toxins, says a noted physician.

If you get headaches, it's your liver. If you catch cold easily, it's your liver. If you wake up with a bad taste, furred tongue, nasty breath or stomach becomes rancid, it's your liver. Sallow skin, muddy complexion, watery eyes all denote liver uncleanliness. Your liver is the most important, also the most abused and neglected organ of the body. Few know its function or how to release the dammed-up body waste, bile and toxins. Most folks resort to violent calomel, which is a dangerous salivating chemical which can only be used occasionally because it accumulates in the tissues, also attacks the bones.

Every man and woman, sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, the poisons, bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Limestone phosphate does not restrict the diet like calomel, because it cannot salivate, for it is harmless and you can eat anything afterwards. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless and any pharmacist will sell you a quarter pound, which is sufficient for a demonstration of how hot water and limestone phosphate cleans, stimulates and freshens the liver, keeping you feeling fit day in and day out.—ADV.

Sage Tea Darkens Hair to Any Shade

Don't Stay Gray! Here's an Old-time Recipe That Andybody Can Apply.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and attractive. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is mussy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" you get this famous old preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark and glossy.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire a more youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—ADV.

BRITISH INFLICT MANY CASUALTIES IN TRENCH RAIDS

Enter German Positions at Three Points Southeast of Ypres, Capturing Prisoners.

GERMAN ARTILLERY BUSY

Berlin Admits Loss of 82 Airplanes in December, Says Allies Lost 119.

LONDON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—The official report from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters in France last night said:

"Early this morning we successfully raided at three different points the enemy's trencnes southeast of Ypres, inflicting many casualties and capturing a few prisoners and two machine guns.

"The hostile artillery was active during the day south of Bullecourt, west of Lens and east of Ypres.

"Four hostile machines were downed in air fighting and two others driven down out of control. Three of our machines are missing."

Today's official report mentions only hostile artillery activity east of Vimy ridge.

Teutonic Forces Evacuate Trench Sections on Italian Front.

ROME, Jan. 11.—Austro-German forces yesterday were forced to evacuate some trench sections near Cavazucchurina on the Italian mountain front, the War Office announced today. The retreating Teutons were caught under the Italian fire and suffered considerable losses.

Berlin Admits Loss of 82 Airplanes in December.

BERLIN, via London, Jan. 11 (By A. P.)—The official statement from general headquarters yesterday said:

"West of Zanvoorde a strong British reconnoitering attack launched during the night broke down. There was very little fighting on the remainder of the front.

"In December the enemy losses in aircraft on the German front amounted to nine captive balloons and 119 airplanes, of which 47 dropped behind our lines; the rest were observed to fall behind the enemy's positions. We have lost in battle 82 airplanes and two captive balloons."

French Capture Prisoners in Raids in Argonne and Vosges.

PARIS, Jan. 11.—French troops carried out raids last night in the Argonne and in the Vosges region, bringing back prisoners from the German lines, the War Office announced today.

SALOON KEEPER IS HELD ON DISLOYALTY CHARGE

While Herman Lembach, proprietor of a saloon at 1466 South Grand avenue, was being given a hearing yesterday before a United States Commissioner on a charge of disloyalty, the appeal of his son, Harold, of 1448 South Grand avenue, for deferred classification in the selective draft was being passed upon by the District Appeals Board.

The father was held for the Federal grand jury on $1000 bond and the son was placed in class 1 in view of the fact that his marriage took place June 5, 1917.

Young Lembach had claimed he should be placed in class 4 because of a dependent wife. When he testified at his father's hearing he was asked about the coincidence of his wedding with registration day. He declared the date was fixed with no thought of the draft, but because "his mother, being superstitious, had calculated by the calendar that June 5 was the day on which he should be married."

It was brought out by questioning that the wedding took place before Lembach registered. Under the old draft regulations Lembach also made every effort to obtain exemption on a dependency claim, even appealing to Congressman Dyer, who wrote a letter in his behalf to President Wilson. The President took no action in the case and the letter was returned to the district board here, which issued a caustic statement with regard to the efforts of the Congressman to interfere with its operations. Young Lembach declared yesterday that if forced to go to war he would make as good a soldier as the man on either side of him.

The charge against the elder Lembach was based on his alleged declaration that he was "not pro-German but all German." He denied making the statement, but John F. Brady, an employe of the United Railways Co., and another witness testified they heard him make the declaration.

NEW FIRE BOARD SECRETARY

East St. Louis Deputy City Clerk Appointed to Position.

John Hallihan, deputy city clerk of East St. Louis, was appointed secretary of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners last night. He takes the place of Maurice Ahearn, who resigned recently as secretary to Mayor Mollman.

Ahearn was appointed to the job by Mollman over protests of some of the city employees. It had always been the work of the deputy city clerk, they contended.

WILSON'S TERMS ARE REJECTED BY GERMAN NEWSPAPERS

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joy that the enemy is "coming down."

"Someone now is wanted," adds the paper, "to help on the moderation of a few more degrees. Then perhaps a proper level will be reached when our opponents will regain their senses and be willing to negotiate."

The Reichspost calls President Wilson's 14 points a simple enumeration of the Central Powers' well-known wishes, but accuses him of seeking to hinder peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk.

Italian Press Commends President Wilson's Speech.

ROME, Jan. 11. (By A. P.)—President Wilson's message is the first courageous step toward peace, says the Messaggero. It says that President Wilson in his message evidently wished to meet the Russian people and to help them to complete their resurrection.

"After the statement of Premier Lloyd George and the message of President Wilson," it adds, "the world can see whether the boast of pacifism of Berlin and Vienna really exists, or is an imperialistic dream of triumph. Meanwhile the whole civilized world, all honest people and everybody who earnestly wishes a just and lasting peace will applaud President Wilson's program.

"Italy has no imperialistic ambitions but wishes to free Italians from foreign oppression, creating a state of safety for her own country on both sea and land."

The Temp recalls that Italy like the United States freely entered the world war for reasons of principle.

The Popolo Romano praises the generous intentions of President Wilson and the American people and Government. It eulogizes the declaration of principle concerning the solidarity of the allies.

The Giarnale D'Italia applauds the message and calls President Wilson, "one of the greatest statesmen of our epoch." It expresses hope that the President's enlightened mind will see the necessity of solving definitely the Austro-Italian problem in order to avoid future excuses for conflict.

Referring to the President's allusion to Italy's territorial aspirations, the Giornale d'Italia says the controversy between Italy and Austria cannot be settled without regulation of the vital question of the Adriatic, which involves Italy's safety on land and sea. The frontiers must be arranged, it adds, in such a way as to eliminate the strategic disadvantages which have presented a continuous threat of disturbing the peace between the two nations.

The Osservatore Romano, organ of the Vatican, concedes the importance of the President's speech. It says the step toward peace which which unquestionably has been made was taken along the path indicated by the Pope, who first proceeded in that direction and suggested that the Governments exchange ideas in regard to points formulated by him. The Pope's program at first met with opposition on the ground that it favored the Germans, the newspaper says, but it now proves to be not German, but British and American.

This was true of Premier Lloyd George's war aims speech, the Osservatore Romano goes on, and still more of President Wilson's address, which confirms and completes the Premier's mentioning freedom of the seas, which the pontifical note made a condition essential to a just and lasting peace. The resemblance between the programs of the Pope and the President continues, the newspaper adds, in their manner of dealing with Belgium, Poland and the Balkans, the evacuation of invaded territories and the regulation of the French and Italian frontiers, and they also agree in regard to the fundamental points of disarmament and compulsory arbitration.

"Cruiser" Submarines With 5.9 Guns Doing Most of the Damage

U-Boats Use Waterproof Cannon, Rigid on Deck and Ready to Fire When They Emerge--Small Target for U. S. Destroyers.

LONDON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Submarines of the so-called cruiser type are now doing most of the sinkings of merchantmen, while the smaller submarines apparently are confining their work largely to mine-laying.

The reason for this shifting of German tactics is that small submarines are not good surface craft in stormy seas, while the cruiser type has proved wonderfully seaworthy, being more readily managed than the modern torpedo destroyer in heavy weather.

These cruiser submarines carry two 5.9 guns and 16 torpedoes and can remain at sea six weeks. The Germans have built a considerable number of these super-submarines since the first one visited American waters, but so many of them have been lost that there are now not more than seven or eight operating. These, however, are manned by the pick of the German navy and their power for harm may be judged from the fact that this small number is able to keep up such a heavy toll of sinkings among allied shipping.

A considerable proportion of the recent sinkings has been accomplished by gunfire. The cruiser submarine guns no longer are of the old type, which folded into the body of the craft when it submerged and had to be unfolded before a U-boat could get into action. The new guns are of a species known technically as wet guns, being constructed of material which sea water does not harm. They are mounted on stationary platforms. Therefore they are always ready and can be fired the instant the deck of an emerging boat is above water.

Encounter With U. S. Destroyer.

An American torpedo boat destroyer had an encounter with one of these submarine cruisers a few days ago. The German was engaged in sinking three armed merchantmen from a range of four miles and had fired about 30 shots when the American destroyer appeared on the horizon, attracted by the sound of the guns.

The destroyer opened fire at six miles with the wonderful American naval guns. The U-boat, however, was lying with decks almost awash and therefore was a most difficult target, and as the American drew in toward her with full speed she submerged suddenly. The smoking muzzles of her wet guns disappeared beneath the waves only an instant after their last shots had been fired.

The Americans were unable to destroy the U-boat but the destroyer escorted two of the three merchantmen safely to port after having rescued the crew of the third, which already was sinking.

Unarmed Fishermen Attacked.

If not convoyed, merchantmen have a small chance against the super-submarines. Little fishing vessels which the Germans do not disdain to attack at every opportunity are still helpless. Yesterday morning an unarmed British fishing trawler Premier was at its peaceful work with nets in the North Sea during a blinding snowstorm when a super-submarine suddenly appeared on the surface a thousand yards off and sent two 6-inch shells without warning into the hull of the 90-ton boat.

The trawler turned over from the violence of the explosion and the crew of 12 jumped into the water and then climbed upon the overturned hulk. The submarine came up in leasurely fashion within a stone's throw of the wreck to take the men off, but seemingly thought better of the momentary humanitarian impulse and submerged suddenly without a word from anybody on board. The crew of the trawler was rescued some hours later. One man died and the others suffered from exposure.

U-Boats Hamper Ireland.

Southeast Ireland has been thrown into mourning during the last two weeks by the work of the submarines, which have sunk two steamers, the crews of which were mainly Irishmen, 70 of whom perished. The catastrophe is called in Ireland "the first declaration of war by the Germans against Ireland," and has aroused a great wave of indignation throughout the Emerald Isle. Ireland also is feeling the effects of the submarine warfare most acutely owing to a coal famine due to submarines sinking recently three boats bringing to Ireland coal for which she is entirely dependent upon England.

Mine-laying submarines have been very active in the Mediterranean during the last month and here again heavy weather has been no friend of the allies for it hampers mine-sweeping. Nevertheless, shipping has to go on just the same.

Loss on Transports Small.

It is a remarkable fact that during the entire course of the war only nine British transports have been sunk with a total loss of less than 2000 lives, although frequently a quarter of a million soldiers are at sea on a single day and altogether more than 11,000,000 men have been transported safely by water.

The weather also is against the allies in a continuance of their successful aviation work against submarines. For the last two months the vacillating barometer has not permitted much use to be made of the aviation arm of the anti-submarine service, which was responsible during the summer and autumn for considerable numbers of submarines being destroyed.

Says Cheese Made Family Ill.

L. H. Lollenbrock of 3905 Macklind avenue, a policeman, today submitted a piece of cheese to the city chemist for examination. He reported that his wife, daughter and son had been made ill by the cheese, which was purchased in a neighborhood grocery. A few days ago another son had been made ill by cheese purchased from the same grocer, he said.

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Bill to Take Over Street Railways.

BOSTON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—A referendum to determine whether the State shoul take over the street railways is proposed in a bill presented in the Legislature yesterday and indorsed by the State branch of the Federation of Labor. The bill proposes that the State take the roads July 1, 1919, if approved at the November elections.

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"President's Stand on Belgium and Alsace Fixed Measure of Germany's Defeat."

"PEACE MUST BE LASTING"

"A Great Danger Is Propaganda Among Allies for Inconclusive Agreement."

By WILLIAM H. TAFT.
(By Courtesy of the Philadelphia Public Ledger.)

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11.—The Prussian cabal conducting this war are using false peace proposals as they use poisoned gas. They would destroy the morale of the French and Italian peoples by the deceitful suggestion that Prussia & Co. are willing to make peace without victory, while the allied Governments in their hunger for conquest and territory continue the war. They would stimulate the jaded German and Austrian peoples to further effort by charging the allies with a purpose to destroy Germany and disintegrate the German people. The constant semi-official peace chatter from Berlin and Vienna is an encouraging symptom of the anxious concern of the Potsdammers over the growing discontent among the peoples of the Central Powers, which finds expression through both branches of the Socialist party.

A great danger in this war is propaganda among the allies for an inconclusive peace. The Potsdammers are fighting for their lives. A peace that shall leave them in power will be a victory for them and a defeat for the allies. The millions of lives and billions of treasure will have been spent by the world in vain.

Message Helps to Clear Air.

Three things have just happened to clear the air and lessen the danger from German insidious peace parleys. One is the revelations of the German-proposed terms of peace with Russia, and the others are Mr. Lloyd George's speech and the message of President Wilson. The first discloses the hollowness of the German pretense that it is really willing to make peace without indemnity or annexation. By insisting that the Russian army shall demobilize and the German armies shall continue to remain in possession of the western provinces of Russia from the Baltic to the Black Sea, while the peoples thereof shall determine what their Government shall be, the Potsdammers have enabled the wayfaring Bolsheviki to see that they propose to make those provinces German in fact. Everyone else in the world has seen this since the parleying began. The Socialists of Germany of both fatcions have seen it. Is this, then, another "triumph" for Potsdam diplomacy?

Mr. Lloyd George's speech defining the aims of the allies is his best. It will bear reading and rereading and a close study of the words used. They were weighed. They were moderate. They were parliamentary. They were clear and they were as definite as the subject matter and the circumstances could possibly permit.

The President's message, while in general in accord with that of the British Premier, is more ambitious and essays settlement of many issues on general principles of equity that may prove difficult in practical negotiations. It is to be construed as giving a general basis upon which the United States would be glad to make peace, and not as an ultimatum in its detailed array of conditions It is most important in making the restoration of Belgium and Alsace-Lorraine a sine qua non of peace and of pledging the United States to stand shoulder to shoulder with England and France in enforcing it.

Measure of Germany's Defeat.

This is the real crux of both addresses. We may all rejoice that justice to Belgium and Alsace-Lorraine is now made the only measure of the defeat of Germany with which we shall be satisfied. Germany's crime against Belgium in 1914 and since has been rank and cruel. Germany wrested Alsace-Lorraine from France in 1871, and has spent 40 years trying to govern them. She has failed in all that time to make them German. Her despotic treatment of their people has kept them French. They should, therefore, be returned to France. Such a result may well usher in a world-wide rule of international equity.

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Lloyd George reiterate their previous declarations that the allies are not seeking to destroy the German nation or people or Government. Neither explains exactly how we are going to insure respect for treaty obligations by the Potsdammers if they continue in power. Both have left that to inference. Mr. Wilson insists that we can only deal with those who have the mandate of a majority of the Reichstag. We need not worry over this. If the German people under the lead of the Potsdammers are defeated and the restoration of Belgium and Alsace and Lorraine is enforced, we can be sure that the Potsdammers will cease to rule and a repentant Germany with her eyes opened will give up her aspiration to military domination of the world and will become a member of the restored family of nations, amenable to considerations of honor and morality. This is our chief end in the war.

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MORE than 300 bright, new and attractive Frocks come in this sale. They were purchased from the maker at a ridiculously low price, and they are priced accordingly for tomorrow's selling.
$11.90 *Included are Dresses of French and botany serge, taffeta, crepe de chine, satin and wool jersey.* $15.00
Some garments are plain tailored, others embroidered or trimmed with buttons, fancy collar and cuffs and other motifs. There are sizes for women and misses at these extraordinary low prices.
(Downstairs Store.)

ST. LOUIS DETROIT — Kline's — CINCINNATI KANSAS CITY
606-608 Washington, Thru to Sixth

These Are N-E-W Silk and Serge
SPRING DRESSES
--and They Are Specially Priced!

Beautiful new Silk Dresses in the new Spring colors and new Serge Dresses in navy blue and black—an exceptionally fortunate purchase we secured by co-operating with manufacturers during the between season lull; and we have sacrificed most of our profit to make this a really notable offering.
$15
These Dresses should not be confused with those sold regularly at $15, for they are worth more.

Reduced for Clearance!
Up to $20 Dresses Choose from satins, taffetas and Georgette combinations; regular stock reduced for clearance. $10.00
Up to $35 Dresses Street and afternoon dresses; satins, charmeuse, taffetas, Georgettes and Crepe de Chine. $16.95
Up to $50 Dresses Distinctive styles in afternoon dresses; finest qualities; reduced for clearance. $23.75
Up to $60 Dresses Your choice of any afternoon dress in the house (except new Spring dresses.) $35.00
Fourth Floor.

NEW!
The 1918 WAISTS

Crepe de Chine Models
$2.95
Advance Spring styles; light colors; lace trimmed, tucked and embroidered.
Georgette Waists
$5.00
New Spring styles; in flesh, yellow, pink and white; beaded and embroidered.
First Floor.

Advance Spring Styles in
Novelty Silk Skirts
Specially Priced
$10

The very latest Skirt styles. A wonderful new shipment just received in time for Saturday's selling. Novelty silk and wool Skirts; striped and plaid effects in bright colors; taffetas, messalines, silk poplins, serges and worsted.
Fourth Floor.

Reduced for Clearance
COATS at $16.95
Fine cloth coats and plush coats; late Winter styles; many trimmed with fur; others finished in self materials; a group of coats that offers unusual selection.
COATS at $20.00
Coats of pompom, cut Bolivia and velour; fur trimmed or finished in self materials; models that would sell regularly for a great deal more.
Up to $65 COATS Models of finest fabrics; fur trimmed and plain; all radically reduced, $45
Third Floor.

At About 1-2 Price
Winter SUITS Entire stock of Winter Suits in three groups for immediate clearance. $10.00 $21.75 $39.75

For Girl Graduates
White Dresses, $5 to $15 Voile, organdie and net dresses, in sizes 12 to 16.
White Skirts, $1.95 and $2.95 Linene and twill skirts, in sizes 12 to 16.
Reduced for Clearance
$15 and $18.95 Coats; sizes 12, 14, 16. Special, $11.90
$5.00 Serge Dresses, reduced for clearance, $3.45
$10.00 Taffeta Dresses, reduced for clearance, $7.95
Balcony.

Reduced for Clearance
Boots and Pumps
Hundreds of Pairs Priced Very Low
$4.45 *Values to $7* Women's fine boots and evening slippers; good selection of styles and leathers.
$6.45 *Values to $9* Fine boots and evening pumps marked for immediate clearance; desirable styles.
$7.45 *Values to $12* A clearance of scores of pairs of our finest boots; the height of fashion for Winter wear.
Balcony.

Smart as Can Be!
Very Latest Hats

Charming new models of Georgette crepe and straw, and satin and straw and of Georgette and satin; new bustle hats, mushrooms and sailors; in taupe, brown, blue, purple, pink and other wanted shades,
$5.00 to $10.00
Second Floor.

Men's Gloves in the Clearing

Mackinaw Gloves, with large cuff, $1.50
Knitted Wool Gloves, dark colors—pair, 59c
All Men's Fur-Lined Gloves, ¼ Off
Men's Mocha and Cape Gloves, tan and gray—one-clasp—pair, $2.35
(Main Floor.)

Men's and Boys' Astrakhan Gloves, with jersey palms, black and colors—pair, 39c
Children's Jersey Mittens, fur trimmed, fleece lined, tan and gray—pair, 50c
(Downstairs Store.)

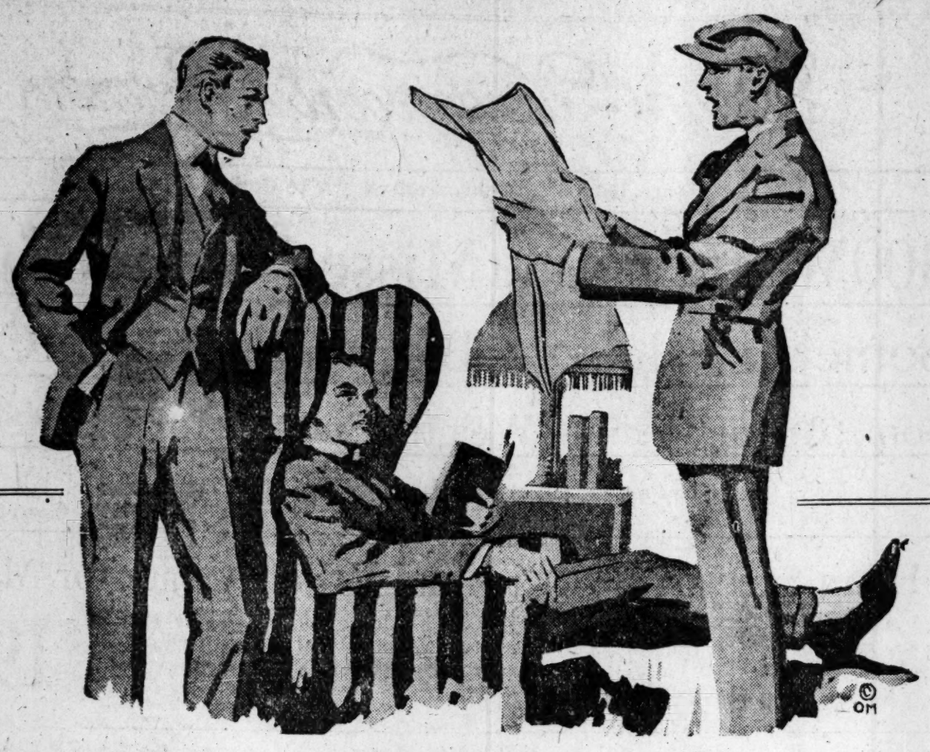
See Our Special Advertisement on Page 4

Stix, Baer & Fuller
GRAND-LEADER
SIXTH-WASHINGTON-SEVENTH & LUCAS

Women's Silk Hosiery Specials

Pure Thread Silk Stockings in novelty designs, both plain and dropstitch effect, full-length silk or lisle garter tops, pair, *$1.55*

Thread Silk Stockings, in black, white or colors, both plain and lace effects, special at, pair, *65c*
(Main Floor.)



When You Read About Our
Semi-Annual Clothes Clearance

—you will have the facts of the best Clothing Sale in Saint Louis. It is a clearing of high-grade Clothing, and not Suits and Overcoats on the sale order. They are from regular stocks, and the regular prices are greatly reduced for the occasion.

Hundreds of Suits and Overcoats, among which are many from the HOUSE OF KUPPENHEIMER, involving practically every desired style of Overcoat, and embracing all the new ideas in Men's Suits, to suit both the extreme and conservative taste. Garments are tailored to a high standard of excellence, and the values are without equal in this clearing at **$18.50**

Suits and Overcoats

A group of garments from the leading makers in the country, and every one marked at considerably less than its regular worth when priced at **$29.50**

Men's Winter Suits

An attractive group of high-grade garments, including a complete range of sizes, in the various weaves, at **$14.50**

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

NOTICE!
Men's Hats Are Reduced

ON various lines, regular prices have been subjected to a decrease in order to clear the stocks.

Special at $1.75

Several styles in Men's and Young Men's Soft Hats are in this lot. All of fur felt and silk trimmed. Colors are gray, brown, green and black.

Sport Hats of cloth, various weaves and different color combinations—special at **$1.50**

Men's Caps, with or without earbands—at **$1 and $1.50**
Men's Store—Main Floor.

Blanket Robes for Men
25% Discount

EVERY Blanket Robe in our stock goes into this clearing at this uniform discount.

There are light and heavy weight Blankets, in assorted colors, with many designs to select from, and all sizes are offered.

Men's Store—Main Floor.

Clearing Stationery

EATON, Crane & Pike's Lonsdale Linen Writing Fabric finish—66 sheets to box; special at per box, 21c
Envelopes to Match, three packages for 25c
Tally Cards, in splendid assortment of designs—reduced to dozen, 10c
Post Card Albums and Scrap Books, various styles, ½ Price
(Main Floor.)

Smokers

HERE'S good news for Saturday. A fresh lot of Samuel Davis Smokers, from the house that makes El Sidelo Cigars—box of 50 for $2.50. Each, 5c
Tadema, clear Havana—special, box of 25, $2.15—each, 10c.
First Consul Old Timer, the large, 10c straight size—packed in bundles of 25, for $2.15
El Roi-Tan, H. C. Brevas, large size—box of 50, $4.00—three for 25c.
Preferencia Victorias—clear Havana filler, with broad leaf wrapper, large size—box of 50, $4.00—three for 25c.
First Consul Panetelas, 10c size, box of 25, $2.00
Cigarettes and Tobaccos at low prices.
(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Toilet Goods

EVERY reason why they should be purchased Saturday. Quantities limited, and no mail or phone orders.
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, 39c
Dora Complexion Powder—all colors, 29c
Lustrite Nail Enamel, 15c
Kolynos Tooth Paste, 19c
Revelation Tooth Powder, 19c
Bath Brushes, removable handle, 19c
"Ideal" Hairbrushes, 75c
Listerine, 3-oz. bottle, 17c
7-oz., 34c; 14-oz., 67c
(Escalator Sq.—Main Floor.)

Flowers

—for home or table decoration, freshly cut and specially priced.
Carnations, all colors—dozen, 50c
Narcissus, white or yellow—dozen, 65c
Roses, special, dozen, 75c

Our "Dollar Box"
—contains 6 Carnations, 6 Narcissus and 6 Jonquils, packed with fern leaves in pretty box, and delivered to any part of the city.
We specialize in the making of floral designs.
(Main Floor.)

The Misses' Store—
Presents a Splendid Advance Showing of Authentic Modes in
New Spring Frocks

Scores of lovely new Frocks, in charming styles that show the tendency of the fashions for Spring 1918.

New White Frocks
For the Miss Who Graduates

There are fascinating garments of taffeta, Georgette and white serge, in simple, girlish styles, with distinctive style touches that will meet approval from the miss who is exacting in her dress.
Sizes from 14 to 20 years, and prices are:

$19.75, $24.75, $29.75 and Up

New Spring Frocks

Distinctive Taffeta Dresses made with the new bustle effect, also beautifully draped effects of Georgette—smart new Jersey Frocks for street wear—priced at $24.75 to $89.00

Of special interest in the display is a Lanvin Model that shows the newest development in the bustle front. It is a combination of blue and black satin, very smart and becoming—priced at $45.00

Clearance of Misses' Suits at $15.00

A noteworthy offering of smart, conservative styles at a fraction of their former prices. Many of the garments are suitable for early Spring wear. The materials include velour, broadcloth, serge and gabardine, and there are sizes from 14 to 20 years.

(Third Floor.)

"Mrs. Busby's Pink Tea"

AN interesting playlet given by children of 4 to 10 years, pupils of the Morse School of Expression, in the Tea Room,

Saturday at 3 O'Clock

The playlet has an interesting plot, and specialities will be introduced in the form of costume dances and character sketches, together with the recitation of a patriotic poem, "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

A dainty Matinee Luncheon will be served from 2:30 to 5:30, during the playlet, at the usual price of 30c
(Sixth Floor.)

The Girls' Store—
Is Ready With Many New Ideas in Frocks Suitable for Graduation Wear

Regulation Dresses
$3.50 $5.00 $8.00

Smart and practical, in belted regulation modes, now so much in vogue for graduation wear. The garments are of fine linene and galatea cloth, shown in sizes 10 to 16.

New White Frocks
at $5.00 to $19.75

An almost bewildering array of modes in Dresses of organdie, net, pique, batiste and voile. The various modes are daintily trimmed with ribbon and lace, and there are sizes 6 to 16.

Girls' Coats, $8.00 to $24.75

Practically our entire stock of high-grade Coats grouped at this figure. There are garments of velour, broadcloth, chinchilla, velveteen and mixtures, in sizes 6 to 16.
(Third Floor.)

Clearing Men's Neckwear

ODD lots and accumulations of various lines, grouped for disposal Saturday at

35c Each
3 for $1.00

Included in this lot are open-end Four-in-Hand Ties, in a large variety of neat and fancy patterns. They are a remarkable value, and will go quickly at the sale price.

The Semi-Annual Sale of
Manhattan Shirts

This is an event that particular men look for each season, and the wide range of patterns offers splendid selection. The reductions made in cooperation with the manufacturer, offer these splendid Shirts at the following prices:

$1.35, $1.65, $1.85, $2.15
$2.85, $3.15, $3.85, $4.85

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Clearing Boys' Clothing

THE entire stock goes into the Clearing Sale, with regular prices marked down considerably. This is an ideal time to outfit the boy with new clothes.

Boys' Suits
With Extra Pair Knickers
Reduced to **$6.75**

Several styles, including trench models, in gray and brown mixtures, with both pairs of trousers lined throughout. Sizes 6 to 18.

Norfolk Suits
With Extra Pair Knickers
Reduced to **$5.50**

Gray, brown and blue mixtures, with trousers lined throughout. Sizes 8 to 18.

Boys' Overcoats, $4.95 and $5.95

About 350 Coats at these two prices for Saturday. There are button-to-the-neck and convertible collar styles, of gray or blue chinchilla, and fancy mixtures. Sizes 2 to 10 years.
(Second Floor Annex.)

Women's High-Grade Shoes, $7.85

GRAY, Brown and Champagne Kid Shoes, also some in black kid, with covered or leather French heels; styles that are highly desirable, and have been priced much higher.

Women's Shoes--Special at $3.95

Several hundred pairs grouped into this lot, including gray, brown or black kid vamps, with cloth tops to match—Shoes that are suitable for dress or street wear.

Odds and Ends in Evening Slippers, including brocaded silver and gold cloth, with high French heels—broken sizes—pair, *$1.95*

Girls' English Walking Shoes at $3.85

Dull calfskin, with welt soles—Shoes that are put together for hard service and utmost comfort; sizes 3 to 7.

Misses' and Children's School Shoes, in gun-metal, both button and lace styles, sizes from 8½ to 2—special, at, pair, *$2.48*

(Main Floor.)

Men's Dress Shoes

Special at **$3.50**

THESE Shoes are built on the latest style English pattern, of gun-metal calf, and have Goodyear welted leather or rubber soles. They have blind eyelets. Also included are some medium-high-toe styles, in button or Blucher, all sizes.

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Men's and Boys' Sweaters

WE are righting the stocks, and broken lines and sample garments are grouped for quick out-clearing at much reduced prices.

Men's high-grade, Shaker knit, cardigan and jumbo weave Sweaters, collar and pocket. Also also V-neck and pull-over styles, in various colors and at *$3.98*

Men's, jumbo and cardigan weave, in all the wanted styles, colors and sizes—at *$1.98*

Boys' close weave cardigan Sweaters, collar and pocket. Also some pullover styles, various colors and sizes—at *98c*

Second Floor Annex.

Player Rolls
For January Are Ready

THERE is a good selection of titles you will want for your player, and among them:
At the Cotton Pickers' Ball
Baby's Prayer at Twilight (words)
Wild Wild Women (words)
Yack-a-Hill-Town (one step)
Keep the Home Fires Burning (words)
Just as Your Mother Was (Jazz)
Liberty (words)
Liberty Loan March (John Phillip Sousa)
Chimes of Normandy (words)
Rock-a-Bye Land (words)
We'll Knock the Heliogo Into Heliogo Out of Heligoland (Jazz)
Private Tommy Atkins (words)
Georgia Moon (words)
(Fourth Floor.)

In the Downstairs Store

Women's Silk Hose at 50c

PURE thread silk, black or white. Double lisle feet and high spliced heels and toes. Elastic lisle garter tops. Slight menders.

Women's Cotton Hose, 19c
Also lisle, in black, white and colors. Reinforced toes and heels. Some slightly imperfect.

Men's Silk Socks, 39c
Pure thread silk, in black, white and colors. Full fashioned, extra spliced heels and toes. Slightly irregular.

Men's Cotton Socks, 19c
Fine gauge combed yarn, in black, white and a big range of colors. Flax toes and heels.

Men's Shirts at 59c

A GROUP of good Shirts for the Clearing Sale, comprising solid colored and fancy percales, and made with soft cuffs. The size range is very good.

Men's Sweaters, 98c
Part wool, in solid colors, and some with contrasting collars. All have shawl collar and pockets.

Men's Union Suits, $1.39
Fleece-lined, ribbed cotton, in ecru. All sizes.

Men's Garters, Pair, 10c
Satin pad, cable web, and each pair in individual box.

(Downstairs Store.)

'WILSON SPEECH WOULD BE MORE EFFECTIVE THAN BOMBS'

Bryan's View of Worth of War Aims Address If It Can Be Given to German Masses.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 11.—Former Secretary William J. Bryan told a Post-Dispatch correspondent he was greatly pleased over President Wilson's statement of war conditions, and declared that it should be distributed among the German and Austrian soldiers inside the battle lines.

"Following, as it does, the statement made by Lloyd George, the British Premier, a few days ago, it would seem to open the way for peace negotiations. It will not only greatly encourage our own people, but it ought to undeceive the people of Germany, who have been misled by the military party there into the belief that they are compelled to fight for their very existence.

"The President's statement, supported by the statement of Lloyd George, ought to convince them that they are not menaced in their real interests, but that peace on the terms proposed means liberty and prosperity for them.

"If the President's statement can reach the masses it will, I am sure, have a tremendous effect in hastening peace. I hope the airplanes will scatter it broadcast among the German and Austrian soldiers. It will be more effective than bombs."

Phone your Want Ad to the Post-Dispatch. Call 6600—Olive or Central. Your credit is good if you rent a phone, or your druggist will phone the ad. Special rate for three times or more.

BUSCH A BETTER HORSE BUYER THAN SOLDIER, HE SAYS

Brewer's Son Declares He Offered His Services as Such to the Government.

Adolphus Busch III, 27 years old, son of August Busch, president of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, who was denied deferred classification on the ground of a dependent wife by the Kirkwood Exemption Board, Wednesday, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter today that he would not appeal to the District Board despite his belief that he has valid claims for industrial exemption.

Busch in his questionnaire sought to have himself placed in Class 4, but the Board put him in Class 2-A, composed of men who will be called to the colors immediately after Class 1 is exhausted. Besides a dependent wife, the young man stated that he held high positions with the Busch-Sulzer Diesel Engine Co. and O'Fallon Coal Co., businesses necessary to the conduct of the war. The Kirkwood board considered only the dependency claim. Industrial exemptions are made by the District Board.

Busch had until tomorrow night to appeal to the District Board and in event of failure there could have gone direct to the President under the regulations. Class 2-A is composed of men whose wives are not wholly dependent on them.

Mrs. Busch, before their marriage, was Mrs. Florence Parker Lambert, and received $12,000 a year alimony from her former husband, Marion L. J. Lambert. She forfeited this alimony, and her claim to a residence in Hortense place, by her marriage to Busch. The Busches have a daughter 3½ years old and Mrs. Busch has three children by her first marriage.

When he was asked by the reporter whether his wife is at present dependent on him, Busch replied: "Yes, I am her support."

He was then asked to describe the nature of his duties with the engine company and the coal company, and to say whether he considered himself necessary to either.

"I am not necessary to the engine company," he said, "although I take an active interest in the business. I do consider, however, that I am necessary to the business of the O'Fallon Coal Co. I suppose it is true that any man, in any position, can be spared, but my work with the coal company is necessary work. I go there every day, pass on the big orders, sign all contracts, and keep in active touch with the business of the firm, of which I am vice president and director.

"I am second vice president and a director of the engine company, which is now working on $3,000,000 worth of Government orders. I am not a technical engineer, and am not an accountant. I go through the plant frequently, and attend directors' meetings, and I have a pretty good knowledge of the business."

Busch said he offered his services to the Government two months ago as a horse buyer, a work in which he felt that his knowledge of horses would make him of value. He offered to work as a $1-a-year man and pay his own expenses, but the offer was not accepted by the Government.

Horse Show Exhibitor.

Busch was not a direct heir under the will of his grandfather, Adolphus Busch, but he presented claims against the estate for $15,926.08, shortly after the probating of the will, in the fall of 1913, and these claims were allowed. Of this amount, $10,000 represented a promise made to Busch at the time of his wedding, a few months before his grandfather's death. Busch was for several years an exhibitor at horse shows.

Well Clothing Co. Again Increasing Store Space.

The Well Clothing Co. is again increasing its store space in order to accommodate its business. It has leased the building at 807 Washington avenue, adjoining the present store, and workmen are already tearing down the partition walls and getting the additional room ready for occupancy. When the alterations are completed the Well Company will be one of the largest concerns of its kind in the United States. The company's president states that in preparation for this expansion the present stocks of men's and boys' clothing will be reduced to a minimum and to accomplish this prices will be cut for the great Expansion Sale now being advertised in the Post-Dispatch. The company's motto, since it was established seven years ago, has been "Quick sales and small profits."

FIERCE WIND AT CAMP DONIPHAN

Guards Have Difficulty in Keeping on Feet; Men Keep to Tents.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAMP DONIPHAN, Ok., Jan. 11.—The raging blizzard of yesterday and last night practically stopped all work and demoralized traffic at the camp.

The wind was so strong that it was with difficulty that the men on guard were able to keep on their feet. It was almost impossible to make any headway in the face of the blizzard, and the men on guard passed an uncomfortable day and night. The soldiers kept to their tents and went out only to chop wood and get water.

Rev. Dr. J. R. Sutherland Dies.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11. (By A. P.)—The Rev. Dr. John Ross Sutherland, associate secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Ministerial Relief and Sustentation, a former newspaper editor, died yesterday at his home in Lansdowne after several months' illness. He was 72 years old. Dr. Sutherland was William Jennings Bryan's pastor at Jacksonville, Ill.

Hoover to Speak in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 11.—Food Administrator Herbert Hoover is expected to speak at the convention of the Laymen's Missionary movement in Kansas City, Feb. 21 to 24. The announcement was made last night by F. J. Michel of Chicago, western secretary of the movement.

SCHMITZ & SHRODER

Twice-a-Year Reduction Sale

All Men's and Boys' Suits--15% Off
All Men's and Boys' Overcoats--15% Off
All Men's and Boys' Mackinaws--15% Off
(Blues, Blacks & Uniforms Excepted)

THE genuine character of the reductions makes this the most interesting and most talked-about sale of the year. The original price tags remain on all goods—this discount of 15% will be deducted at time of purchase. Here are some examples of the values offered:

Men's Overcoats — Splendid Overcoats in Oxford gray meltons and browns, tans and fancy mixtures—all around belt style as well as conservative models—our $15.00 line at 15% discount.......... $12.75

Men's Overcoats — Superior styles and qualities that will please all men and young men—new all around belt, half belt and plain models in the most popular fabrics and colors—our $20.00 line at 15% discount.......... $17.00

Men's Overcoats — Every kind of Coat you could ask for—belted Coats, Driving Coats, Ulsters, in meltons, kerseys, frieze and Scotches—all magnificently tailored—our $25 line at 15% discount $21.25

Manhattan Shirt Sale

Reduced Prices Now Prevail!

OUR large and carefully selected assortments contain patterns and colorings which it will be impossible to duplicate. Come early and get a full supply while the picking is at its best. Original price tickets remain on each shirt—the reductions will be allowed at time of purchase.

Men's Shirts — A beautiful line of fine count, fast color percales, in laundered and soft cuff styles—specially reduced to 85c

Union Suits — Exceptional values in heavy-weight, elastic ribbed cotton, brush-back suits—in ecru and white—reduced to $1.00

Union Suits — Chalmers Spring Needle Suits—white and ecru—slightly imperfect, but nothing that will impair the service-giving qualities—reduced to $1.58

Sweaters — Two styles in fine heavy wool-mixed coats with V neck; pockets and large roll collar—all gray or Oxford—reduced to.... $1.95

Wool Sox — A limited lot of natural heavy wool Sox—"Government rejects"—on sale, while they last, at.... 40c

Sweaters — A special lot of heavy cotton Sweater Coats—V neck with pockets—you will find these great values at $1.15

Officers' Uniforms — IN our factory on the premises we are making Officers' Suits and Overcoats to order in strict conformity with Army regulations. Complete showing of regulation Accessories at minimum prices.

Wonderful Values—Boys' Clothing

2 Pants Suits — GOOD School Suits—medium and dark colors—full lined knickers—sizes 6 to 16—our $3.85 line at 15% off.......... $3.27

2 Pants Suits — SPLENDID Suits of fancy Scotch cheviots and novelty mixtures—full lined knickers—sizes 6 to 18—our $5 line at 15% off $4.25

Fine Suits — ALL our Boys' one and two-pants fancy Suits—in Scotch cheviots, tweeds and cassimeres—our $5.95 line at 15% off.......... $5.05

Boys' Fancy Suits — One and two pants Suits in attractive patterns—pants full cut and full lined—were $6.75—now 15% off.......... $5.74

All Other Boys' Suits — That heretofore sold up to $15—except blue serges—are included in this sale at a uniform reduction of.......... 15% off

Graduation Suits — Graduation time is near at hand—you will find us splendidly ready with a large assortment of all-wool blue serge Suits in the very newest styles at.. $5 to $15

Boys' Mackinaws — We have strengthened our lines of these sporty Coats—large variety of plaid effects in the most wanted shades—sizes 12 to 18—our $7.50 line at 15% off.......... $6.38

Children's Overcoats — Dressy Coats for the little boys 2 to 8—button-to-neck style—very desirable patterns—our $4.00 line at 15% off.......... $3.40

Children's Overcoats — We still have a large assortment of those cute little Overcoats for boys from 2½ to 8—former low price was $6.00—now 15% off.......... $5.10

Boys' Corduroy Suits — Good strong corduroy in dark drab shades—designed in trench model and some with patch pockets—lined and unlined knickers—sizes 7 to 17—special for Saturday only at.. $3.95

Corduroy Knickers Sizes 6 to 12. $1.29

Boys' Sweaters Sizes 6 to 14, 79c

Flannel Blouses Ages 6 to 15. 59c

Boys' Caps With pull-down band. 50c

Open Saturday Till 9 P. M.

"If you see it in a Schmitz & Shroder ad—it's TRUE"

SCHMITZ & SHRODER

S. E. COR. EIGHTH AND WASHINGTON AV.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

Absolutely Nothing Better than Cuticura for Baby's Tender Skin. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES. RAG TIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT IN 20 LESSONS BOOKLET MAILED FREE. Christensen School of Popular Music 504 Holland Bldg., Olive 29... Suite N, Odeon Bldg., Lindell ...

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Olive & Locust, From Ninth to Tenth

Store Hours Saturday 9:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

400 Women's and Misses' Winter Coats

Some Are Heavy---Big Warm Storm Coats

Some Are of Medium Weight, Suitable for Early Spring

The Concessions in Price Should Mean Much to You.

Extra Special--100 All-Wool Velour Coats for Misses

All colors—all sizes for misses and small women—large fur collars for storm and general Winter wear—tailored styles, too; warmly lined and interlined—others half lined. Navy blue, black, taupes, browns, greens and wine shades. $19.75

No Exchanges—No Credits—No Approvals.

The Women's Coats Are Marked in Three Groups

$24.75 $29.75 $35.00

Wool Velours—Pom Pom Cloths—Bolivias—Warm Mixtures—Burellas—Silvertones—Kerseys and many other warm all-wool materials.

All sizes, 34 to 46.

We believe that these Coats at the above prices are as good values as can be obtained.

Sale starts promptly at 9 A. M. Saturday

On display in both the Misses' and Women's Shops

Third Floor.

Men's Overcoat Clearance

This Clearance Sale of Men's Suits and Overcoats comes at a time when it is most welcome. We are right in the midst of the Winter—many cold waves, no doubt, will be predicted and this Clearance Sale of Overcoats offers to you an opportunity to have a new, warm Overcoat in the middle of the season at a price that you can well afford to pay. Not a single style in the entire lot but what will be splendid for next season. Divided into three interesting groups.

Your interest in this group will be more than repaid by purchasing one of these light or dark Cheviots in either the loose or form-fitting models. $15.00

Here you will find practically all the latest styles made of fine woolen fabrics, comprising a good assortment from which to choose. $19.75

In this lot we have placed some of the finest Coats to be had at the price. Don't miss the opportunity offered here. $28.75

Men's Clothing Shop—Second Floor.

PIMPLY? WELL, DON'T BE

People Notice It. Drive Them Off With Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

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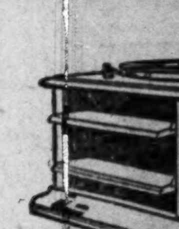

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OBSERVER TELLS OF SERIOUS LACK OF FOOD IN BERLIN

Describes Economic and Political Conditions in German Capital as "Absolutely Awful."

PUBLIC INTENSELY BITTER

There Would Be a Revolt, Only, as the People Say, 'Women Can't Make a Revolution.'

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The World prints the following special cable from London:

"An observer at first hand, who left Germany in the middle of December, and for whose trustworthiness the Morning Post vouches, gives an amazing account of conditions in Berlin, both economic and political.

"'The situation in Berlin,' he said, 'is absolutely awful. For the great mass of the population there is hardly any light, warmth, clothing or shoes, and an appalling lack of food.

"'The work of the city is carried on by decrepit men and women. On one occasion I saw a coal cart with a Russian prisoner in the driver's seat and four women literally in rags carrying bags of coal in a house.

"'The linen worn by both sexes is abominably dirty, for there is no soap.

"'There is intensely bitter feeling among the people against the Government, and there would be a revolt, only, as the people are always saying: "Women can't make a revolution." The Government knows this and forbids the return to Berlin of able-bodied men, and officers are allowed to return only in exceptional circumstances.

"'Von Hindenburg is loathed by the people of Berlin. Placards with his picture, appealing for subscriptions to the loans, were torn down, although they were not touched in South Germany.

"All over Berlin notices are posted offering 3000 marks (normally $750) to anyone informing against persons criticising the Government, the Emperor, the war or officers.

"The population of Berlin is divided roughly into three classes. The upper military class, which adores Hindenburg and hates Ludendorff; the middle class, which loves Ludendorff because he gives high posts in the army to Jews, who are making vast sums out of the war, and the lower working class, which loathes Hindenburg, Ludendorff and especially the Emperor, and ridicules the Crown Prince unmercifully. Otherwise nobody mentions the imperial family, which has ceased to be a dominant factor.

"The well-to-do get along fairly comfortably, because the necessities are purchasable at fabulous sums. A ham costs $90. A special restaurant dinner for three costing $10 consists of soup, some tiny fish, a fragment of some sort of meat, a few carrots, a piece of turnip and an uneatable pudding.

"News is circulated secretly among the officers that a recent fire or explosion in the Krupp works destroyed 250 new airplanes.

"The officers know that the Turks are utterly sick of war

"Everything is being moved west. Double rails are being laid wherever possible, creating the hope that food may come from Russia.

"From Berlin to Basle, including a whole night on the train, there was neither light, heat, food nor drink of any sort obtainable."

Germany Never Was in Such Danger of Collapse, Says Correspondent.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 11 (By A. P.)—Germany never was in such danger of collapse from internal and external difficulties as at present, says the correspondent in Germany of the Tijd in an analysis of the existing situation. The political struggle concentrated around Foreign Secretary von Kuehlmann has been reflected in violent scenes in the main committee of the Reichstag. Public action of the Socialist minority cannot longer be resisted, and even should militarism gain a temporary victory, the correspondent thinks reaction will follow quickly.

Russia's example is said to have infected popular and military circles. The food question, national mourning, the dislocation of industry, the growing desire for peace and fear of a new offensive on the west front threaten to lead to a tragic phase if the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk fail, and a domestic explosion is inevitable.

Special! Gem Restaurant, 710 Pine. Gem Steak, 50c; Sirloin Steak, 40c. —ADV.

Republic of Finland Recognized.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Denmark and Norway have officially recognized the republic of Finland.

'MORE THAN $4.50 A DAY NEEDED TO SUPPORT A FAMILY OF FIVE'

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11.—(By A. A. P.)—In a statement supported by statistics, Edward L. Keenan, president of the Central Labor Union, told the National Shipbuilding Labor Adjustment Board yesterday that the head of a family of five must make more than $4.50 a day to support his family. The food bill of a family of five, under prevailing price schedules, Keenan said, cannot possibly be figured at less than $12.14 a week.

Keenan was chairman of a committee of twelve which made a canvass to determine food prices and other expenses the industrial workers must meet.

Including housing, fuel, lighting and other necessary expenses, as well as insurance and doctors' fees, Keenan's figures purported to show it would cost a family of five $1,442.80 a year to exist.

Lax-Fos With Peps.

A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Just try one 50c bottle for Indigestion or Constipation.—ADV.

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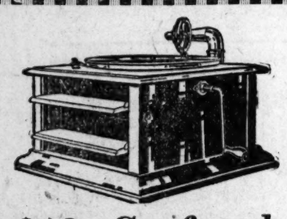

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It Will Be a Big Surprise to These Fine Suits and Overcoats to Look Up and See a $15.00 Ticket Over Their Rack Saturday A. M.

These Suits and Overcoats Will Be 50% Higher Next Season

And No Man Should Hesitate If He Needs Clothing. When These Are Gone There Will Be no More!

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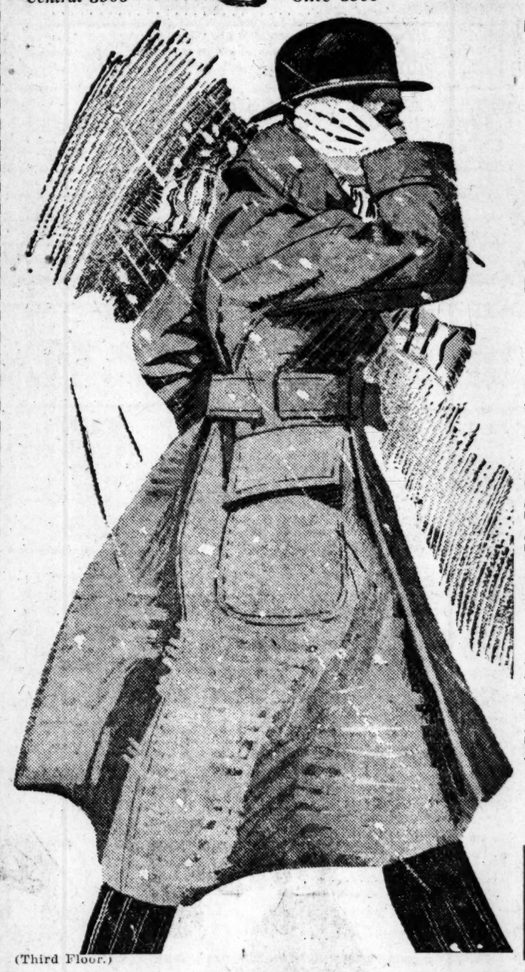


(Third Floor.)

In the Regular Way NOW $15

Sturdy Overcoats

Great Big Warm Overcoats, stylishly Belted, With Big Collars.

Overcoats of cheviots, meltons, Scotch tweeds, kerseys and fancy mixtures---three-quarter and full length styles--conservative overcoats with velvet collars of self materials. The best of the season's styles. All sizes.

Dandy Suits

Full of snap and style, belted and cut along the lines for the college man or the man of conservative taste; in silk worsteds, cassimeres, blue serges, fancy striped serges, Scotch mixtures, club checks, unfinished black worsteds. All sizes.

There are few men who do not look to economy these days---and where is there a better opportunity than this sale?

If the men of St. Louis really knew how scarce good clothing will be shortly they would snap these garments up in twos and threes. All the sheep in the world today cannot meet the great increased demand for wool.

Get a Pair of PANTS To Match That Odd Coat and Vest.

$3.75 For Pants Made to Sell for $5.00

They were made for us from odds and ends of fine suitings—the best grades of all-wool cheviots and unfinished worsteds. Sizes Up to 50 Waist—all lengths.

$4.75 For Pants Made to Sell for $6.50 & $7.50

BOYS' CLOTHING

The January events lower prices on the good stocks of clothing in the boys' shop. Here is the scale of reductions:

(Third Floor.)

Boys' Corduroy Suits; pinch back, three-piece belt models; two pairs of pants; lined throughout; sizes 6, 15, 16, 17 and 18; reduced to..... $7.95

Boys' Suits; fancy mixtures; pinch-back and straight line models; pants lined throughout with double woven knee and seat; all sizes; reduced to..... $4.45

Boys' Suits; fancy mixtures; some with two pants; light and dark patterns; Norfolk and pinch-back models; sizes 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18; reduced to..... $8.85

Boys' Mackinaws; brown, gray and red plaid; trench model; sizes 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18; reduced to..... $5.45

Boys' Mackinaws; pinch-back and trench models; some with the large skate pockets; red, green and blue plaids; sizes 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 18; reduced to..... $8.45

Clearing Sale

Middies & Blouses

75c soiled and odd sizes of regulation Middy Blouses; colored collars of tan and blue; lace front and sides; sizes 16, 18 and 20; reduced to..... 49c

$2.00 and $3.00 Women's soiled and mussed Lingerie Waists of voile and organdie; plain and lace trimmed; all sizes; reduced to..... $1.37

$3.00 Women's Crepe de Chine Waists; broken sizes; colors of white, flesh and maize; reduced to..... $2.25

Odd lot of Women's $4 Crepe de Chine Waists and a few striped Challis; broken sizes; reduced to..... $2.55

(Second Floor.)

Misses' New Dresses

Ready for Midwinter Graduation

$7.50 to $25.00

We have prepared for the Midwinter Graduate an exceptionally good looking lot of White Dresses. Charming indeed are these dainty frocks in their girlish simplicity. They embody the latest fashion for young ladies. Every model is fresh and crisp.

The materials are voile, crepe de chine, Georgette, net, organdie and chiffon, trimmed with lace, ribbon and ruffles. Sizes 14, 16 and 18.

Clearing Sale of

Misses' Coats

We have marked an odd lot of misses' Coats of chevelot, kersey, velour and wool mixtures. Sizes 14, 16 and 18; reduced to..... $12.95

Clearing Sale of

Misses' Suits

Misses' Suits of whipcord, poplin, storm serge and velour. Sizes 14, 16 and 18, reduced to..... $13.75

(Second Floor.)

Clearing Sale of

Men's Shirts

Men's $1.25 and $1.65 soft and starched cuff Shirts of woven madras, percales and reps; reduced to 95c

Clearing Sale of..

Men's Underwear

Men's 85c fleece-lined cotton ribbed Shirts and Drawers; white and ecru; all sizes, 34 to 44; Saturday..... 69c

(Main Floor.)

Clearing Sale

GIRLS' COATS

Warm Winter Coats of zibelines, cheviots and kerseys, in plain colors and mixtures; belted models; large collars; sizes 6 to 14; reduced to..... $7.45

Girls' White Dresses for Graduation, $7.50, $10 & $12.50

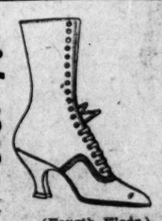
Dainty models are shown in organdies, voiles, nets and chiffons; high waistlines; elaborately trimmed in lace and inserting; satin ribbon girdles and bows; sizes 12, 14 and 16.

Girls' White Regulation Dresses for Graduation, $4.95

Made of white twill in box pleated belted models or two-piece middy styles; sailor effect; braid and emblem trimmed white silk ties; sizes 10 to 16.

(Second Floor.)

The Sale Continues Dorothy Dodd SHOES



Offering Shoes made to sell for $8.00, $10.00 and $12.00 at..... $5.65

And Shoes made to sell for $6.00 and $7.00 at..... $4.45

Some of the prettiest styles of the season are included.

As the sale has been in progress some few days, the sizes are now incomplete, but many popular sizes still remain.

(Fourth Floor.)

Via Special Purchase Route

Sale of Sample Hats

From a leading New York Hat manufacturer, 100 of 1918 Spring samples. They are all Soft Hats, in green and pearl, brown and steel grays, and every size is to be found. As they are samples, there are not all sizes in every style. Sale price Saturday will be

$1.45

(Main Floor.)

B. NUGENT & BRO. D. G. CO., Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.

W. C. Forbes Heads Navy League.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—W. Cameron Forbes, former Governor-General of the Philippines, was elected president of the Navy League, to succeed Col. Robert M. Thompson, at a meeting of the directors of the organization here. Col. Thompson declined re-election, after 15 years' service, because of ill health.

Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin

BAYER

Take no chances. When you buy Aspirin demand the original unbroken package and see that it bears the Bayer Cross. Then you will know you are getting the one true Aspirin.

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TABLETS in Pocket Boxes of 12—Bottles of 24 and 100
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Special $3.25

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The variety is sufficient to assure satisfactory selection, and colors represented embrace the much wanted Taupe, Brown, Khaki and Black. Two typical styles are pictured.

$3.25 Smart "off the face" Turban, with Grosgrain trimming in front.

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New and Very Stunning

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THE logical type of Hat for early Spring service. Our exhibition embraces wide droop brim effects, sailors, small and large pokes and the "bustle" hat.

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Player-Piano satisfaction is no longer determined by price. You can procure a player-piano today at a LOW price, which will play better, last longer and give you more all-round satisfaction than a HIGH priced instrument would if bought six years ago.

You can get a Francis Bacon player-piano here today for 465 dollars, which for easy playing and down-right durability you could not have duplicated for 750 dollars six years ago.

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$465 Fifteen dollars brings one to your home immediately. The balance you may pay at 12 dollars a month.

Conroy Piano Co.
11th & Olive Sts.

GERMAN SOLDIERS TELL OF MUTINY OF 25,000 IN EAST

Camp Said to Have Been Established in Kovno Woods, and Trains Seized.

STATEMENT BY PRISONER

Declares Men Threaten to Attack From Rear if Offensive Is Resumed in Russia.

By ARNO DOSCH-FLEUROT,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

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PETROGRAD, Jan. 11. — An armed camp of 25,000 German soldiers, who have mutinied against being shifted to the western front, is holding the forest near Kovno and is threatening an attack upon the other German troops from the rear if they resume the offensive against Russia.

That is the story reported by four German soldiers who recently deserted, and who offered to enlist in the new international army now being organized to fight for socialistic principles under the direction of the bureau headed by Boris Reinstein, international delegate of the Socialist Labor party of America. The soldiers are named Lieut. Wilhelm Mueller, 347th Infantry, 173d brigade; Karl Friedrich, Reichold Kunert and Reinhardt Bregulla, all members of the eighty-eighth sharpshooters, eighty-seventh division. Lieut. Mueller signed this statement given to Reinstein:

"For some time the men under 35 years old have been taken from divisions on the Eastern front to go to the Western front, leaving only the older men in the divisions. Many soldiers mutinied and were forced into trains, but deserted in masses in the forest and soon formed a great army of outlaws with rifles, machine guns and even cannon.

250 Loyalists Killed in Battle.

"Already these men are so strong they have defeated the troops led against them. In one battle 250 loyal Kaiser troops were killed.

"Efforts to cut them off from food and ammunition failed, because they descended on villages in force and cut up the troops sent to stop them. They also stopped trains, taking provisions and arms and winning recruits. They have sent word to the front that they will attack the German troops in the rear if the present peace negotiations fail and a new attack is ordered on Russia.

"The camp has been in existence several weeks. The Government is unable to bring troops to attack as the mutineers capture the approaching trains.

Lieut. Mueller says the troops consider the western front certain death. The army is so depressed the Government cannot find sufficient troops of good morale to lead against Russia.

Lieut. Mueller's story is corroborated by the three others. When questioned by a Russian Colonel who knew the Kovno region, they gave convincing details. All agree that the food situation is serious in Germany, particularly the poorer parts of the cities.

Reinstein Recruiting Army.

Artillery in Berlin is constantly ready to meet a proletariat uprising. Food is better in the villages, although the depots for soldiers are surrounded by starving children. The soldiers are refusing furloughs because they are better fed at the front.

Reinstein, although not a Bolshevik, has been named chief of the Department of International Revolutionary Propaganda under the Foreign Office by Trotzky, on account of his international Socialist reputation. He lived years ago in America and is now in charge of the work of propaganda in enlisting the international army, chiefly among 3,000,000 German and Austrian prisoners.

Reinstein is issuing a daily paper in all languages for distribution among these men, which is also being sent out as propaganda across the lines. He explained to me that the army is exclusively for carrying out the Russian Socialist Soviet program if Russia is compelled to resume the fight.

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$12,000 VERDICT AGAINST U. R.

Miss Florence L. Gaty of 4166 Wyoming street today was given a verdict for $12,000 damages against the United Railways Co. for injuries received Dec. 19, 1916, in a collision between Fourth street and Park cars at Eighteenth street and Chouteau avenue.

Miss Gaty, then employed as a stenographer at the main postoffice, Eighteenth street and Clark avenue, was a passenger on the Fourth street car. She was thrown from her seat. An injury to her right knee resulted in infection of the bone and she now has to use crutches. Since the accident she has been carried as an employe of the postoffice without pay, but will be dropped Feb. 1. She sued for $25,000, including loss of pay.

Sixth Policewoman Appointed.

Mrs. May Johnson of 789 Bayard avenue, a social worker, went to work today as the sixth policewoman in the Police Department, having been recommended by the Woman's Council and appointed by the Board of Police Commissioners. She will work under the direction of Mrs. Catharine Fertig, recently appointed Police Sergeant.

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Rump Roast, lb.	13½c	Round, lb.	20c
Boneless Meat, lb.	18c	Hamburger, lb.	15c
Round Roast, lb.	18c	WHY PAY MORE?	
LAMB		VEAL	
Leg of Lamb, lb.	17c	Veal Roast, lb.	18c
Shoulder of Lamb, lb.	15c	Veal Breast, lb.	17c
Stew Lamb, lb.	15c	Veal Shoulders, lb.	16c
		Veal Chops, lb.	20c

Our Extra Special

Pork Loin or Rib Chops, lb.	25c	Good Salt Spareribs	15c
Good Boiling Beef	13½c	Good Corned Beef	12½c
Good Loose Sausage	15c	Good Rump Corned Beef	14c
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No. 1 Breakfast Bacon, per pound...Light, 30c; Heavy, 37c
Juicy No. 1 Smoked Ham, only 30c
No. 1 California Ham 24c

MORRIS OLEOMARGARINE
Monarch, lb. 30c
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Morris' Pure Vegetable Compound Lard, 25c; 5-lb. tin buckets $1.25
Pure Country-Homemade Lard, 2 pounds 55c

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SEE NEXT SUNDAY'S POST-DISPATCH FOR OUR NEXT WEEK'S GREAT MEAT AND GROCERY SALE.

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Fleece-lined Chamoisette Gloves; sizes 6½ to 9; in gray, black and white; pair, 55c

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1500 pairs of men's Goodyear welt sewn Shoes in lace and button; medium high and English toes; leather and neolin soles; all sizes, $2.45

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Boys' durable calfskin Button Shoes, sizes 1 to 5½, $1.98; sizes 9 to 13½ $1.89

Girls' $2.50 patent and dull Button Shoes; sizes 11½ to 2, $1.95; sizes 8½ to 11 ..... $1.89

Growing Girls' $2.50 patent leather Shoes with white tops; for dress wear; sizes 2½ to 6 ..... $1.69

Women's 75c Sample Rubbers; good quality; special 49c

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Early Spring Millinery
ON SALE SATURDAY

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In fashionable bustle pokes, high crowns, chic military effects, also turbans, sailors, chin chins and mushrooms; delightfully trimmed with new flowers, ribbons, ostrich fancies and ornaments; very latest colors; Saturday $2.98

Satin and Straw SHAPES
Rolling sailors, chin chins and other new ideas; black, taupe, khaki, etc. $2.98

Ready-to-Wear Hats $1.98
High crown of draped satin, trimmed with grosgrain ribbon; brown and taupe; excellent value.

Satin Shapes
High crowns, chin chins, large, drooping sailors, side rolls, etc.; some the new taupe shade, also black and brown $1.00

New Flowers
Gold and silver effects; fruits, berries; very artistic. 49c

Children's Hats
In dainty styles for pretty faces. 49c

HATS TRIMMED FREE.

$1.25 Silk Chiffon
In all good colors and flowered designs 40 inches wide; special per yard 89c

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With or without collars; splendid assortment of patterns to select from; special for Saturday only, at .....

Men's Silk Neckwear
Large assortment to select from, special for Saturday's selling at 29c

Men's 25c Socks
In assorted colors; a big bargain at the price. Special, 3 pairs, 50c

$2.50 Union Suits
Men's ribbed Union Suits; cotton, ecru color, well made; sale price, $1.69

$20 Coats
Stylish Winter Coats; broken lots "'tis true"—but splendid wearing qualities, and values out-of-the ordinary, sizes for women and misses, at $11

New $10 Dress
Women's and misses' smartly made dresses of wool sergo, taffeta silk and silk poplins, reduced for Saturday to $5.98

Girls' $8.98 Coats
Elegant full-belted warm Winter Coats with large collars and pockets and lined throughout; the materials are all-wool and this lot should be sold before noon $5.00

Great Reductions on Men's O'Coats
Coats that were formerly priced at $10 to $22.50 all grouped in 4 big lots for a quick clearance at
$6.95, $8.95, $10.85, $13.85

Men's Pants
$2.00 Pants.. $1.65
$2.50 Pants.. $1.95
$3.00 Pants.. $2.35
$4.00 Pants.. $2.95
$5.00 Pants.. $3.95

Boys' Suits and O'Coats
$4.00 Suits... $2.95
$5.00 Suits... $3.95
$4.00 O'Coats. $3.35
$5.00 O'Coats. $3.98

Warner's Corsets

A full line of Warner's Corsets; they fit, wear and do not rust, break or tear; every corset guaranteed. Models to fit the stout and average figure; $3.50 down to $1.00

$2 Petticoats
Of highly mercerized black sateen, finished with pleated flounce $1.39

39c Brassieres—Trimmed with embroidery front and back, at 29c

509 Washington Av.
Irwin's

Special Under-Priced Purchase of
New Silk Waists at $2.75

THESE SILK WAIST $2.75

Just received by express, exquisite new Spring styles, in crepe de chine and silk Georgette, in the choicest styles. The colors are white, flesh, maize and peach.

Special Sale of 200 Sample WAISTS
Exquisite Georgette Waists, one and two of a kind, heavily beaded and pastel embroidered in the light Spring colorings, as well as suit shades. Values up to $10 at.. $4.75

Early Spring Showing of
Satin and Satin and Braid Combination HATS
In all the leading shades, such as taupe, brown, navy and black; hundreds to select from, on special sale for tomorrow.. Values in this lot, ranging from $7.50 to $8.50. $4.80

Advance Showing of
NEW SPRING DRESSES
Specially priced for Saturday's selling. Handsome Silk Taffetas, Satins and Men's-Wear Serge Dresses—at $10

$15 and $18.75 DRESSES at $12.75

An Unusual Exhibit of Exquisite Street and Afternoon GOWNS
In every beautiful Spring shade. Exquisitely beaded, braided and embroidered. Specially priced $15

375 Winter Coats
Entire Surplus Stock of One of the Best New York Coat Manufacturers at
$9.75 | $12.75 | $14.75
Over 20 styles to select from. Many of them with large full fur collars, in taupe, brown, green, Burgundy, navy and black. Values up to $25.00 in these three groups.

Special Under-Priced Purchase and Sale of
New Spring SKIRTS
Shown for the first time tomorrow.
Handsome plaids and stripes, in heavy silk taffetas, heavy quality of satin duchesse, silk faille, men's-wear serges and wool poplins. Values to $15.00, in two groups at ..... $4.85 and $7.50
Many sample skirts included in the lot.

Saturday Morning Give-Away Items at $4.95
Just 12 Winter Suits.
Just 14 Silk Georgette Dresses.
Just 21 Winter Coats for Misses and Small Women.
Just 8 Taupe Plush Throws.
Just 8 Taupe Coney Flat Scarfs.
Just 6 Manchurian Black Wolf Scarfs.

Closing Out FURS
ONE ENTIRE TABLE OF FURS Values to $12.50 ..... $4.95
ONE ENTIRE TABLE OF FURS Values to $20.00 ..... $7.95
ONE ENTIRE TABLE OF FURS Values to $25.00 ..... $9.95

To BUY when someone must sell and SELL when someone seeks to buy is one Want Ad route to profits. Watch the POST-DISPATCH Wants for offers.

Two Dead in Hospital Fire.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Jan. 10 (By A. P.).—The death list in the fire which swept a wing of the Connecticut Hospital yesterday remains at two, with two other patients missing. The damage to the building and contents is estimated at $200,000. The cause of the fire is still to be determined.

Boy Eats Mustard and Becomes Ill.

Mrs. George Terry, 3915 North Market street, informed the police that her son, George Terry, 10 years old, became violently ill yesterday after eating mustard which she believed contained ground glass. The mustard, which was purchased in the neighborhood, was sent to the city chemist for analysis.

Your Child Must Be Strong

Nature starts most children right, and it is the parents' duty to keep them so. Happy spirits—eager appetite—deep refreshing sleep—the love of vigorous play—all these things a child must have in abundance now, if the budding man is to be adequately equipped to conquer in life's battles.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan

"The Red Blood Builder"

This time-tried tonic promotes energy and health by enriching and purifying the very stream of life—the blood. If your child is pale, nervous, and easily exhausted; if he is a spectator rather than a participant in the health-making games of childhood try a course of *Pepto-Mangan*. A beneficial result can be expected.

Pepto-Mangan wards off anemia, and strengthens the constitution by putting iron in the blood, and creats multitudes of vigorous red blood cells; the poisons which generate in thin, sluggish blood are driven out. Rich, red blood invites robust health, and the invitation is usually accepted.

Children like *Pepto-Mangan* because of its sparkling color and its pleasant aromatic taste. It cannot impair digestion or injure the teeth.

Friendly Warning: Make certain that you get genuine *Pepto-Mangan*—Gude's, as there are many counterfeits. True *Pepto-Mangan* is never sold in bulk; it comes only in packages and bottles as pictured here. Read the circular wrapped around the bottle.

Study this package so you will know how genuine *Pepto-Mangan* looks.

Pepto-Mangan is made only by
M. J. BREITENBACH CO., New York
Manufacturing Chemists

OPEN TILL 6:30 SATURDAY

50c Perfume: all odors: Saturday only (Drug Dept.) 25c

Lowest Prices Our Chief Attraction.
Schaper Stores Co.
SIXTH & WASHINGTON

50c Frocks: all descriptions, colors and sizes; for palmas and coats; Saturday, each. 10c

BOYS' $4.00 BLUE SERGE SUITS

Good weight material; dark blue pinch back model; also grays and browns; a serviceable garment; specially priced for Saturday, at (Third Floor) $2.85

Boys' Mackinaws

Just the overcoat for school wear; well made, belted and cuffed; in nobby plaids; at this extremely low price while they last, next Saturday only, at (Third Floor) $2.98

$5 School Suits—3-piece belt and pinch-back models, in nobby overplaids and mixtures; a very desirable garment; all sizes, Saturday, at (Third Floor) $3.98

$6.00 School Suits—An extreme value in pinch-back and Norfolk models; double seat and knees; lined trousers; sizes 7 to 17 years; Saturday at (Third Floor ... $4.98

Men's $10 and $12 Suits

In all-wool cassimeres and cheviots—among them are a few Norfolk styles; well made, serge lined; also blue serges at this ridiculously low price of (Third Floor) $6.95

Men's Heavy Work Suits

An ideal suit for the working man; dark shades; $7 and $9 values are shown in this line in both heavy and lighter weights; a real bargain at this price (3d Fl.) $4.98

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Bungalow Aprons	35c	Tea Aprons	19c
Flanelette Kimonas	$1.00	Muslin Drawers	25c
Silk Camisoles	25c	Corset Covers	19c

(Second Floor.)

Men's and Women's $3 and $3.50 Shoes

Hundreds of pairs of men's and women's $3 and $3.50 fine Shoes at less than the cost of the material in them. Lace and button, Saturday $2.48

Women's $1.75 Kid House Slippers; straps and Juliet styles; all sizes.... 98c

Women's $1 Sample Rubbers; very best quality, at..... 49c

$5.00 ARMY SWEATERS

These are wool Sweaters with V necks, in gray, navy, maroon and tan; in all sizes; special, Saturday (Main Floor)..... $2.98

$1.00 Sweaters; in all sizes; of good quality (Main Floor)..... 79c

Pajamas—Men's, in all sizes; values $1.25, 98c

Plush Caps—In all sizes.. 49c

Silk Socks (Main Fl.).. 12c

Gillette Blades.....33c
Boston Garters.....14c

$4.00 GIRLS' SERGE DRESSES

Cleanup sale of Girls' Serge Dresses, high-waisted styles, pockets and belt; all colors; sizes 6 to 14 (Second Floor)..... $2.98

$2 GIRLS' WORSTED DRESSES

Large plaids and checks, trimmed with contrasting colors; all good styles; sizes 6 to 14 (Second Floor)..... $1.49

QUOTES EXCERPTS FROM HALE'S TALK WITH THE KAISER

Former President of Century Magazine Tells of the Suppressed Interview.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The New York Times publishes the following dispatch from Philadelphia:

"For the first time excerpts from William Bayard Hale's article on the Kaiser, which was suppressed by the Century Magazine 10 years ago, on request of the German Government, were made public last night through William Ellsworth, for many years the president of the Century company. Mr. Hale's article for the Century was prepared after the original interview had been suppressed, and in its turn it met the same fate.

"'As near as I can remember,' said Mr. Ellsworth, 'the Emperor said "Taft had the wool pulled over his eyes when he was in Rome, so that he made the arrangements he did with the Philippine Friars."

"'Another statement, as I remember it,' continued the speaker, 'said "Archbishop Ireland is a secret enemy of America."'"

"This revelation was made by Mr. Ellsworth in a lecture last night at Witherspoon Hall in the university course, and was heard by a large audience. Continuing, Mr. Ellsworth said:

"'My recollection is that there was no war talk by the Emperor, nor can I recall that he attacked England. I do remember, though, that he was especially vindictive toward Turkey, while the attack on Japan was also bitter. My only reason for revealing the gist of the famous interview at this time is that we should do everything in our power to harm the Emperor. I hear there is another copy in existence somewhere and it is the duty of the man who has it to produce it and publish it.

Attack on Catholic Church.

"'His attack on the Roman Catholic church was certainly no such interview as any monarch should have given, and a complete publication can do great harm to the Kaiser in Austria, Spain and other countries, where there are great masses of Roman Catholics among the nationals of these nations.

"In the autumn of 1908 William Bayard Hale, then connected with the New York Times, decided that he could obtain an interview with the German Emperor. He went to Germany and from the Foreign Office obtained consent to interview the Emperor, but on condition that his remarks should be submitted to the Foreign Office for approval.

"Dr. Hale agreed and went to the Norwegian waters, where the Emperor was aboard his imperial yacht. And for two hours on the moonlit deck the Kaiser talked while Hale made notes. Returning to Berlin, Hale submitted the interview to the Foreign Office. It was agreed that it might be published, but there was a stipulation that it was too sensational for publication in a newspaper, but should be given to some review or, in other words, published in a magazine.

"Hale wired to us regarding it and we offered to purchase the interview for $1000. We had the interview in type in October and all ready for our December issue, which went on the street the latter part of November. On Oct. 2 the Kaiser gave his famous interview to the London Telegraph, which created a tremendous sensation all over the world and which the Foreign Office tried vainly to suppress.

"'It was only a few days afterward that Richard Watson Gilder, editor of the Century, was called to the telephone for a conversation after this fashion:

"'"Has the Century a manuscript of an interview with the Kaiser?"'

Suppression Agreed To.

"'Gilder said it was ready in sheets, and then the voice offered to pay all expenses if it would be suppressed. This was agreed to.

"'The editors talked the matter over and one of our bright young men went to the De Vinne Press, where 100,000 of these sheets were ready. Without anybody being the wiser of his mission he had these packed and placed in a safe deposit vault. Every proof and every sheet containing a word of that interview was destroyed, while the expenses, between $2000 and $3000, were paid by us.

"'The news of the affair leaked out and one newspaper offered $12,000 for a proof, another increased the offer to $15,000. But they were, of course, refused. At that time we were friendly with the German Government and everybody held the Emperor in fair esteem, so that it was a natural thing to accede to this request.

"'However, a few days afterward a man met Gilder in the street and said: "Have you any copies of the Kaiser's speech?" "Certainly," he said, "we have 100,000 in the safe deposit vaults."

"'Well,' asked the questioner, 'what would you advise the German Government to do with them?'

"'Oh,' said Gilder, jokingly, 'why not send a warship over for them,' then he walked away.

"Imagine his surprise when some weeks later he was called on the telephone and informed that a German warship had arrived for the sheets. Sure enough there was a cruiser, and while there was much conjecture as to the reason she arrived, none really learned her mission.

"The cases were all taken aboard at night and she sailed away. Some time after this one of our editors was at a dinner, when a young German naval officer sidled his chair to him and said: 'I suppose you would like to know what became of those sheets of the Kaiser's interview?'

"'Well,' the young officer said, 'when we got 500 miles from New York we threw the first case overboard. It floated instead of sinking and a boat was lowered and sent away to retrieve it. Then for some time the officers and men were kept busy in the stoke room tearing and burning every one of these sheets.'

"I wish now we had published that interview 10 years ago. It would have hurt the Emperor tremendously and we want to do him all the harm possible. It contains a terrific arraignment of the Roman Catholic church.'

"Mr. Ellsworth then recited the allusion to Mr. Taft and to Archbishop Ireland, after which he told more regarding the final disposition of the sheets.

"'One of them,' he said, 'was given to the Germanic Museum. Only recently I wrote to a United States Senator, calling his attention to the fact and asking that he obtain the interview for publication. But I read today that the paper has disappeared and as Kuno Francke, a German of Germans, was the curator, it stands to reason that an ardent man like him would not permit such a document to remain where it could harm the Fatherland.

"'I have heard that there is another copy extant, and if there is it seems to be the duty of the owner to produce it and have the contents published, for it would do incalculable harm to the German Emperor, especially with his present ally, Austria, because of the attack on the Catholic church.'"

Post-Dispatch Wants point the way to comfortable rooms and good board.

DRIVEN THROUGH the WALL!

GROWING! GROWING! GROWING SO FAST!

That we were literally forced through the wall! Thousands of new customers have been added to the multitude of Weil Boosters during the past year and to properly take care of this rapidly increasing business we were absolutely forced to secure additional selling space. Fortunately we were able to lease the building immediately West of us. Extensive alterationsare necessary and the workmen, who will soon start tearing down the division walls, are clamoring for more room in which to work. For the time being our stocks must be radically reduced to gain the needed space. There is no time to waste! We must have the room at once! That is why prices have been slashed to the very limit! Nothing is reserved—blues, blacks and all other staple goods are included in this Expansion Sale at the same fractional prices! Just note the following wonderful offers—then come and help us to reduce these stocks in double quick time!

SUITS & OVERCOATS

Are Offered to You at Immense Savings in This Big Expansion Sale! 5 Big Lots for Saturday

LOT NO. 1	LOT NO. 2	LOT NO. 3	LOT NO. 4	LOT NO. 5
Men's and Young Men's SUITS AND OVERCOATS —WORTH $12— Expansion Sale Price	Men's and Young Men's SUITS AND OVERCOATS —WORTH $15— Expansion Sale Price	Men's and Young Men's SUITS AND OVERCOATS —WORTH $20— Expansion Sale Price	Men's and Young Men's SUITS AND OVERCOATS —WORTH $25— Expansion Sale Price	Men's and Young Men's SUITS AND OVERCOATS — WORTH $30— Expansion Sale Price
$7.00	$9.50	$13.50	$16.50	$20.50

OVER 10,000 PAIR OF

MEN'S PANTS

TO BE RUSHED OUT AT SHATTERED PRICES!

Lot 1---$2 PANTS $1.35 All sizes 28 to 46 in strong durable Pants that are especially fine for work—Expansion Sale Price.....

Lot 2---$3 PANTS $1.85 Good serviceable cassimeres and worsteds in neat patterns—sizes 31 to 50—Expansion Sale Price.....

Lot 3---$4 PANTS $2.35 Extra well tailored Pants in sizes 28 to 50—splendid wear-resisting fabrics—Expansion Sale Price....

Lot 4---$5 PANTS $2.85 Carefully tailored—sizes up to 50 waist, excellent cassimeres and worsteds—Expansion Sale Price....

Lot 5---$6 PANTS $3.85 Stylish Pants in the nifty models that young men appreciate—sizes 28 to 50—Expansion Sale Price.....

Lot 6---$8 PANTS $4.85 Superior quality worsteds in the wanted stripe effects—expertly tailored—Expansion Sale Price.....

MACKINAWS

For Men and Young Men

$7 and $8 Values — Expansion Sale Price..... $5.00

$10 and $12 Values — Expansion Sale Price..... $6.50

RAINCOATS

For men and young men. Entire stock must be cleared away at once!

$3 Raincoats — Expansion Sale Price..... $1.85

$5 Raincoats — Expansion Sale Price..... $2.85

$8 Raincoats — Expansion Sale Price..... $4.85

$12 Raincoats — Expansion Sale Price..... $7.85

ALL BOYS' CLOTHES

Must be rushed out at once—note these amazing prices, then take advantage of them tomorrow!

Boys' $3.00 Suits at $1.95
Boys' $5.00 Suits at $2.85
Boys' $6.00 Suits at $3.85
Boys' $7.50 Suits at $4.85
Boys' $9.00 Suits at $5.85

$3.50 Overcoats at $1.95
$5.00 Overcoats at $2.85
$6.00 Overcoats at $3.85
$8.00 Overcoats at $4.85
$9.00 Overcoats at $5.85

Boys' $6 Mackinaws, $3.85
Boys' $8 Mackinaws, $4.85
Boys' $3 Raincoats, $1.85
Boys' $1.50 Knickers, 98c
Boys' 75c Knickers, 57c

WEIL

N. W. CORNER EIGHTH AND WASHINGTON AV.

OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK

College President Is Ousted.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Arthur L. Breslich has been formally removed from the presidency of Baldwin-Wallace College by trustees who met to consider the report of the committee of Methodist Bishops appointed to investigate charges that some members of the faculty were pro-German. Dr. G. Franklin Reams was designated as acting president.

70 Below in Sweden.

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Unprecedented temperatures for Sweden are reported at various places in the north. Some of the lowest flures are 70.6 degrees below zero at Asele, 67 below at Scerfors and 63.4 below at Hogdalsjoe.

Garland's

Saturday's Startling Clearance

All Fine Georgette Blouses in Two Lots

$3.85 and $5.85

They were priced originally $7.50 to $15.00—and every Blouse at the original price was an out-of-the-ordinary bargain. But look at them now.

Choice of any Georgette Blouse, formerly priced to $7.50, now

$3.85

Choice of any Georgette Blouse, formerly priced to $15.00, now

$5.85

White, Flesh and the Wanted Suit Shades at Each Price

Consider what it means to choose from our extensive, well-selected Blouse stock at prices so much below regular. Descriptions are impossible, but you know what to expect here, and we know that if you come you will find it here.

Fur Clearance Extraordinary

Your Unrestricted Choice of Any

Fine Fox, Wolf or Lynx Set

Formerly Priced $65.00 to $85.00, Saturday---

$39.50 and $49.50 the Set

Black and the fashionable shades of brown and gray. You have probably admired the handsome matched sets which we have shown at $65, $75 and $85. If so, you will need no further urging to come here Saturday and take your choice at **$39.50** and **$49.50** the set.

FINE FOX SCARFS

Choice of any, formerly priced to $45.00, Saturday,

$22.50

Any brown, black or taupe color Fox Scarf in our entire collection that was priced up to $45.00—none reserved.

Fashionable Scarfs and Neckpieces

—Many dependable kinds of fur and many styles, in 4 close-out lots, at

$7.95 $10.90 $12.98 and $14.95

Former prices were $12.50 to $29.50.

DRESSES--Special

150 Dresses Priced Originally Up to $35.00, Priced for Saturday,

$15

85 new Spring Dresses that are worth MUCH MORE than $15 are included. Taffetas, serges, satins, Georgettes, in over 30 styles, but not many of any one style.

COATS--Special

125 Winter Coats Priced Originally to $49.50, Saturday,

$22.50

These Coats represent some of the best styles for present wear. They are fashioned of the popular velours, in a good assortment of popular colors.

GIRLS' COATS

Final Reductions

Up to $12.50 Coats $4.95
Up to $25.00 Coats . . $10
Up to $59.50 Coats . $15

Girls' Serge Dresses

Up to $ 6.50 Dresses $3.75
Up to $15.75 Dresses $8.90

$5.00 Serge Middy Skirts . $2.98
$1.00 and $1.25 Middies . . 85c
$1.98 to $2.98 Smocks . . . $1.50

THOMAS W. GARLAND — 409-11-13 Broadway

ST. LOUIS WOMAN WHO WILL GO TO FLORIDA

Photograph by "Sid" Whiting.
MRS. HENRY A. DIAMANT.

GRANDSON OF ST. LOUIS WOMAN TO WED ABROAD

Mrs. Elizabeth Schnaider Receives Word of Engagement of Walter A. Merrill.

MRS. ELIZABETH SCHNAIDER of 24 Portland place has received a cable announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her grandson, Acting Flight Commander Walter A. Merrill, British Royal Flying Corps, and Miss Ann Hudson, daughter of the late G. Hudson of Frogmore Hall, Herts, England, and Mrs. Hudson of Ealing, Middlesex.

The wedding probably will take place the first part of next month in London. Mr. Merrill is the son of the late Arthur H. Merrill and Mrs. Merrill of Montreal, Canada, and is a brother of Miss Yvonne Merrill, who is at present the guest of her grandmother.

Social Items

THE wedding of Miss Mary Kent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hunter Kent of 6085 West Cabanne avenue, and Capt. Manton Davis will be quietly celebrated tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Dr. John MacIvor of the Second Presbyterian Church will officiate. There will be no attendants and only the family and a few intimate friends will witness the ceremony. The bride will be gowned in her traveling suit.

Miss Kent is from Louisville, Ky., and has lived in St. Louis only a few years, but since her residence here has been very popular in her set. Capt. Davis formerly lived in Mayfield, Ky. He was graduated in law from the University of Virginia and was practicing here when he went to Fort Riley to the first Officers' training camp. He is Captain of the Machine Gun Company of the 354th Infantry, stationed at Camp Funston, where he will take his bride upon the expiration of his 10-day leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Garneau of the St. Regis apartments recently returned from a visit to New York. While in the East they were the guests of Mrs. Joseph Garneau at Kingston, N. Y., and also stopped in Philadelphia for a visit with friends.

Miss Mamie Clark of 3740 Lindell boulevard returned last week from Fort Sill, Ok., where she was the guest of Major and Mrs. William H. Cocke for several weeks.

Mrs. Henry A. Diamant of 4537 McPherson avenue will depart Thursday for Miami, Fla. Mr. Diamant will join his wife in February and they will make a tour of the Florida resorts before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scullin and Miss May Scullin of 5218 South Broadway have as their guest Mrs. Charles L. Benoist of Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. Benoist was formerly Miss Marie E. Haydel of St. Louis.

Mrs. Francis M. Curlee has come from Camp Funston, Kan., where she has been with her husband, Capt. Curlee. She is visiting her mother, Mrs. William A. Schraubstadter, at the Hamilton Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Furth of 5342 Vernon avenue celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Wednesday with a dinner at the M. A. A. About 55 guests were present.

The wedding of Miss Ruth Laneheart Cantrell of Benton, Ill., daughter of the late Judge W. S. Cantrell, and Harry M. Moses of Benton, son of Thomas Moses of Georgetown, Ill., was celebrated Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. G. C. St. Clair, of 6165 Westminster place. The Rev. George Norton of St. Michael's Episcopal Church performed the ceremony in the presence of the relatives and intimate friends. After the ceremony there was a dinner at the M. A. A., followed by a reception at the Hotel Statler. Mr. Moses and his bride will reside in Benton.

The Epilepsy Problem.

Physicians who were unable to attend Dr. Held's lecture, given before the Medical Society of the United States in this city, can obtain copy of his essay, embodying 20 years of Epilepsy research, by sending 2c postage to William Held, M. D., 4812 Sheridan road, Chicago, Ill.—ADV.

Every Silk Shirt

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And Over One Thousand Fine Quality

Suits and Overcoats

AT CUT PRICES

$3.50 / $4.00 Silk Shirts now $2.65	$25.00 Suits and Overcoats at . . $19.00
$4.50 Silk Shirts now $3.45	$30.00 Suits and Overcoats at . . $23.50
$5.00 Silk Shirts now $3.85	$35.00 Suits and Overcoats at . . $26.50
$6.00 / $6.50 Silk Shirts now $4.65	$40.00 Suits and Overcoats at . . $31.50
$7.00 / $7.50 Silk Shirts now $5.45	$45.00 Suits and Overcoats at . . $35.50
$8.50 Silk Shirts now $6.45	
$9.50 Silk Shirts now $6.95	
$10 Silk Shirts now $7.85	

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DIAMONDS WATCHES JEWELRY $1.00 a Week EASY TERMS

ONLY $1.00 Down

OUR BLUE-WHITE GENUINE DIAMONDS Special Value, $25

17-JEWEL ELGIN $1 Down $1.00 WEEK

Be Sure to See

This handsome full jewel Elgin or Illinois; guaranteed 20 years.......... ONLY $24

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426 N. Sixth St. Est. 1904
Opposite Columbia Theater.
Open Saturdays Until 9 P. M.

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Quickly Ended By a Pleasant. Germ-Killing Antiseptic.

The little Hyomei inhaler is made of hard rubber and can easily be carried in pocket or purse. It will last a lifetime.

Into this inhaler you pour a few drops of magical Hyomei.

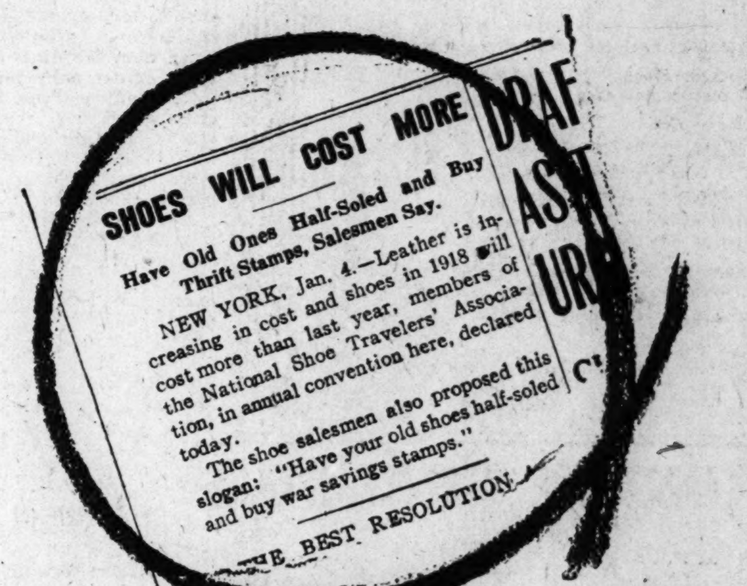
This is absorbed by the antiseptic gauze within and now you are ready to breathe it in over the germ infested membrane, where it will speedily begin its work of killing catarrhal germs. Hyomei is made of Australian eucalyptol, combined with other antiseptics and is very pleasant to breathe.

It is guaranteed to banish catarrh, bronchitis, sore throat, croup, coughs and colds or money back. It cleans out a stuffed up head in two minutes.

Sold by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., and druggists everywhere.

Complete outfit, including inhaler and one bottle of Hyomei, costs but little, while extra bottles, if afterward needed may be obtained of any druggist.—ADV.

Help needed at home can be called through a Post-Dispatch Want Ad.



SHOES WILL COST MORE

Have Old Ones Half-Soled and Buy Thrift Stamps, Salesmen Say.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Leather is increasing in cost and shoes in 1918 will cost more than last year, members of the National Shoe Travelers' Association, in annual convention here, declared today.

The shoe salesmen also proposed this slogan: "Have your old shoes half-soled and buy war savings stamps."

THE BEST RESOLUTION

A reason for having Your

Old Shoes "Remade"

Registered

Our exclusive "Remade" process makes it possible for you to don your old shoes for months of extra wear, at the same time saving the outlay for a new pair.

Old Shoes "Remade" have the appearance of new shoes—wear just as well, but with more ease and comfort. Besides a big saving you'll find great satisfaction in "Remade" Shoes.

Bring in your old shoes or our Autos will call for them and return them "Remade"

Call Olive or Central 6700.

Parcel Post Orders Given Instant Attention

Lindell Dry Goods Co.
Washington, Eighth and St. Charles.

Hamburg Line Officials Convicted.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Conviction of four officials of the Hamburg-American line, including Karl Buenz, managing director, on

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Short Rib of Beef, lb 15c
Fresh Rump Beef, lb . 16c
Choice Rib Roast Beef, lb 20c
Fresh Spareribs, lb . 20c
Fresh Neckbones, lb . . 8c
Sirloin Steak, lb . . . 22c
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Hamburg Line Officials Convicted.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (By A. P.). —Conviction of four officials of the Hamburg-American line, including Karl Buenz, managing director, on charges of violating the customs laws by sending supplies to German cruisers early in the war, was affirmed by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals here yesterday.

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Fresh Calif. Pork Shoulder, lb 23c
Whole Rump Corn Beef, lb 15c
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Short Rib of Beef, lb 15c
Fresh Rump Beef, lb. 16c
Choice Rib Roast Beef, lb 20c
Fresh Spareribs, lb. 20c
Fresh Neckbones, lb.. 8c
Sirloin Steak, lb.... 22c
Hamburger, lb.....15c
Sausage Meat, lb.. 20c
Link Sausage, lb... 20c
Chuck Roast, lb....15c

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Made according to Government regulation....

2 Cans Pork and Beans...25c
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Choice Pears, 2 lbs.....25c
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2 Cans Wilson's Milk...25c

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379 80c — Dearie. Sentimental song.
397 85c — Everybody's Crazy 'Bout the Dog Gone Blues. Fox trot. New Blues, with words.
375 80c — Georgia Moon. Sentimental song.
384 80c — Honey Boy. Jass one-step, with words.
382 85c — I'm Going to Follow the Boys. One-step, with words.
385 85c — Just as Your Mother Was. Jass Fox Trot, with words.
392 $1 — Keep the Home Fires Burning. With words.
374 80c — Liberty. With words.
390 80c — Private Tommy Atkins. Jass one-step, with words.
395 85c — Rock-a-Bye Land. Marimba effects, with words.
391 80c — That's What Your Love Means to Me. Sentimental song.
400 85c — There's Always Something Doin' Down in Dixie. One-step, with words.
386 85c — We'll Knock the Heligo Into Heligo Out of Heligoland. Jass, with words.
376 80c — We'll Stick Till America Comes Through. Jass one-step, with words
398 85c — The Wild Wild Women. One-step, with words.
381 85c — Yock-A-Hilo Town. One-step, with words.

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ROSALIE WIRTHLIN IN ARTISTIC SONG RECITAL

Former St. Louis Woman Shows Admirable Execution and Interpretive Gifts.

BY RICHARD L. STOKES.

ST. LOUIS has been able to boast of two natives who rank among the best American musicians, Mme. Olga Samaroff, pianist, and Theodore Spiering, violinist. To these a third now may be added in the person of Miss Rosalie Wirthlin, contralto, whose recital at the Sheldon Memorial Auditorium last night was a gratifying exposition of the art of song.

Miss Wirthlin possesses in the first place an enviable array of ample and resonant tones, those of the lower register being remarkably rich. Her voice has been disciplined until it performs with unconscious assurance every task laid upon it; and it is managed with an intelligence and a scrupulous taste which make the achievement artistic to an exceptional degree. Such are her keenness of feeling and her thoroughness in penetrating to the very heart of her songs, that each becomes a clear-cut painting of a mood. She has the reassuring poise of one who is completely mistress of what she undertakes, and the charm arising from sincerity and wholesomeness of temperament.

The voluntary ban which many recitalists have placed on German songs during the war leaves a gap which Miss Wirthlin filled by resurrecting several of the delightful English airs of the sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, and by introducing a group of lyrics by present-day American composers. She is a notable interpreter of Greig, as she proved in five of his songs. In fact, two of them, "Die Sennerin" and "Lichte Nacht," received such dramatic delivery that one wondered why the soloist did not include an operatic aria or so in her program. These would have afforded scope for the full employment of her opulent voice, of which the audience received only passing hints because of the rather light character of her selections.

Piquant Settings of Chinese Poems.

The American composers represented were Frank La Forge, John Alden Carpenter and Marion Bauer. The first contributed a stately lyric hymn, "Before the Crucifix," and an appealing love song, "When Your Dear Hands." Carpenter's selections were settings of two ancient Chinese poems, "The Odalisque" and "To a Young Gentleman," to which Miss Wirthlin gave piquant expression. There was also a group of admirable French songs. The singer's distinct enunciation of the English, French and German texts (the last in the Grieg numbers) was one of the delights of her performance.

The audience was larger than is usual at Sheldon Memorial concerts, and received the soloist with unusual warmth and friendliness. She deserved a crowded house at an auditorium as spacious at the Odeon.

Her assistant on the program was Miss Erin Ballard, a talented and eager-spirited young pianist from New York. She played the accompaniments in rare sympathy with the singer, and offered several solos which were much applauded.

HEALTHY FAMILIES KEEP
Well by taking Father John's Medicine —ADV.

HURLEY SAYS LLOYDS FIGURE 1918 TONNAGE AT 4,500,000

Senate Witness Puts Estimate of New Shipping at 3,000,000 Tons; Shipyards in U. S. Number 118.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Chairman Hurley of the Shipping Board in a statement last night announced that the production of ship tonnage in the United States in 1918 is estimated at from 4,500,000 to 5,000,000 tons in a special report made by Lloyds at his request. Homer L. Ferguson, president of the Newport News Shipbuilding Co., testifying at the Senate shipping inquiry, said Lloyd's had estimated the production at about 2,500,000 tons.

Chairman Hurley said there now are 118 shipyards, 51 for steel ships and 67 for wooden vessels, in the United States, and that the force of the shipyard workers had increased from about 105,000 on Oct. 15 to about 170,000 on Dec. 22. Last April there were 148 ship ways in the country and there now are built or building 716 ways, with 95 per cent of them completed. A keel, he said, has been laid on every completed way.

Hurley said plans for enrolling 280,000 men in shipbuilding are well under way and he believed that two wooden ships would be completed on each way this year, and in the steel yards three and possibly four ships per way would be turned out.

HUGHES CABINET RE-INSTALLED

Vote of No Confidence Introduced in Labor Party.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 11. —Several days of political uncertainty have ended with the re-installation in power of the Nationalist Government headed by William Morris Hughes. There has been no change in the makeup of the Hughes Government.

At one time it was thought that Frank Tudor, the labor leader would be commissioned by the Governor-General to form a labor government. Premier Hughes is accused of breach of faith by some politicians because of the pledge he gave that the Nationalists would not govern the country if conscription was defeated. A motion of no confidence has been introduced in Parliament by Tudor.

FAVORS MORE TAX ON JOHN D.

Mayor Hylan Wants Rockefeller's Personal Assessment Raised.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (By A. P.). —An increase in the personal property tax of John D. Rockefeller, who now pays on an assessment of $5,000,000, is suggested by Mayor Hylan in a letter to the president of the tax board, made public today.

The Mayor stated that real estate was bearing an undue share of the burden of taxation in the city and he also suggested that the city might follow the Government scheme of "taxing excessive wealth that comes from excessive incomes."

How Fat Actress Was Made Slim

Many stage people now depend entirely upon Marmola Prescription Tablets for reducing and controlling fat. One clever actress tells that she reduced two to four pounds a week by using this new form of the famous Marmola Prescription and now, by taking Marmola Tablets several times a year, keeps her weight just right. All druggists sell Marmola Prescription Tablets at 75 cents for a large case. Or you can get them by sending price direct to the Marmola Co., 864 Woodward Av., Detroit, Mich. If you have not tried them do so. They are harmless and effective.—ADV.

DROP MISLEADING ROPE LABELS

Manufacturers Sign Agreement With Trade Commission.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—(By A. P..—Rope manufacturers representing 75 per cent of the total production in the United States have signed an agreement with the Federal Trade Commission whereby they will abandon use of labels which the commission believed misleading as to the composition of the ropes.

Commissioner Murdock said the stipulation would remove all misunderstanding of mariners, farmers and manufacturers as to the quality of rope purchased by them.

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JUST received a late shipment of 800 Sleds with strong steel runners; while the lot lasts (no phone orders filled) each.. 69c

Women's to $2.00 Neckwear
A SAMPLE line of Women's Neckwear, consisting of vestees, collars, collar and cuff sets, stocks, etc. In satin, organdy, Georgette, net, pique and novelty cloths; finished with hand-embroidery and laces; each..... 49c
Values to $1.00, each, 23c

Because of the blizzard, all items advertised for Friday will be on sale Saturday while the quantities last

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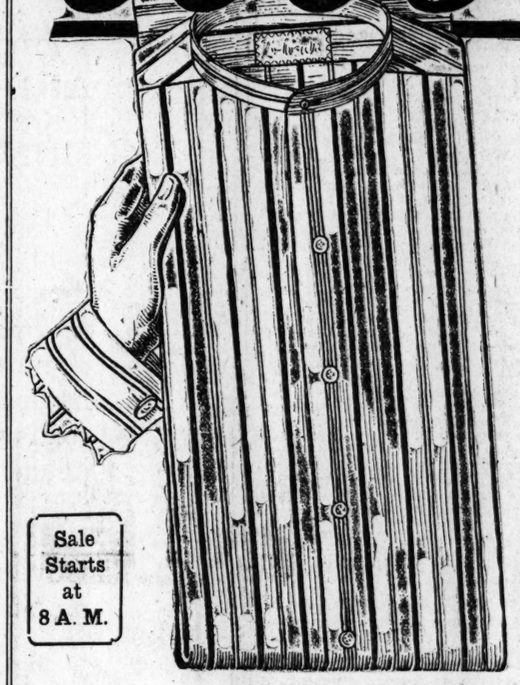

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The Bargain Shock of Years Occurs Tomorrow

and it is one of the most sensational value-giving events that has ever been planned and announced for

The Benefit of the MEN of St. Louis

THIS sale is a practical demonstration of how The Lindell has operated in order to overcome the high costs existing in the shirt making business.

Sale Starts at 8 O'Clock

TO begin with, we contracted for this wonderful purchase of Men's Shirts more than six months ago. Hence, there are hundreds of shirts in this lot that on today's market could not be purchased **wholesale** for the prices that we are retailing them at in the sale to begin tomorrow.

$1

LOT 1---Men's $1.50 and $2.50 Shirts

More than 4000 Shirts in this group alone. Included are well-made Shirts of the most desirable materials of the day, including finest reps, cotton crepes, Russian cords, madras and percales; soft or laundered cuffs; all sizes; special, $1 each.

LOT 2—
Men's $2.85 to $4.00 Silk Shirts
New, beautiful designs, in all sizes—finest silk mixtures, pebbled silks and silk fibers—$2.85 to $4 values; choice..... $2.00

LOT 3—
Men's $5.00 Pure Silk Shirts
All fine satin stripes, pure, tub and habutai; all sizes and the very newest designs—regular $5.00 values; each..... $3.00

(Street Floor—The Lindell.)

Sale Girls' Winter Coats

Priced at and Below Cost

Sizes 2 to 16 Years.

COATS Up to $7.95, $5.00 | COATS Up to $10.00, $7.50 | COATS Up to $15.00, $10.00 | COATS Up to $19.50, $12.95

EXTRA SPECIAL
All Girls' Serge Dresses, formerly priced $5. Sizes 6 to 10. Some are soiled. Priced, while they last..... $2.89

New Spring Millinery

Trimmed Straw Hats
$7.50 to $10 Values
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A LARGE assortment of beautiful new Spring models, in all straw, Georgette crepe and straw and novelty combinations. Positive $7.50 and $10.00 values. A sensational offer right at the beginning of the season. Remember—the Lindell for stylish Millinery.

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Sammy Brown Cloth Hats Reduced to..... $1.49

(Third Floor—The Lindell.)

Women's Apparel at HALF

Every Garment in Our Great Stock

COATS	SUITS	DRESSES
$14.75 Coats...$ 7.38	$15.00 Suits....$ 7.50	$15.00 Dresses.$ 7.50
$19.75 Coats...$ 9.88	$20.00 Suits....$10.00	$19.75 Dresses.$ 9.88
$24.75 Coats...$12.38	$25.00 Suits....$12.50	$24.75 Dresses.$12.38
$29.75 Coats...$14.88	$30.00 Suits....$15.00	$29.50 Dresses.$14.75
$39.50 Coats...$19.75	$40.00 Suits....$20.00	$35.00 Dresses.$17.50
$49.50 Coats...$24.75	$49.50 Suits....$24.75	$45.00 Dresses.$22.50

Sale of **Blouses**
$1.50 Voile Waists..50c
$3.00 Voile Waists.$1.00
$4.00 Voile Waists.$1.50
$4.00 Silk Waists..$2.00
$6.00 Silk Waists..$3.00
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Entire stock of Silk and Cloth Skirts — greatly reduced.

Entire stock of Furs and Fur Coats—33⅓% off.

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BROKEN sizes in boys' high-grade wool mixtures, in Norfolk style; they come with two pair of trousers; fully lined and taped seams; also wool serges, with one pair of pants... $5.80

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BOYS' two-pants Suits, in fancy mixtures of gray, brown and blue serge; one pair pants; all sizes. Boys' wool coats of chinchilla and fancy mixtures; broken sizes up to 17 yrs. $3.75

BOYS' $3.50 to $4.00 heavy Norfolk Suits, in broken sizes; come in gray, brown and green; also Juvenile Suits for the little boys, in shepherd checks, corduroys and fancy mixtures—2½ to 8 years..... $2.00

Wichert & Gardiner's

$8.50 to $12.00 New Spring Shoes
Included Are Shoes From Our Own Regular Stock

$12.00 patent with ivory kid tops—lace boot.
$12.00 Havana brown kid with brown cloth top.
$12.00 patent with ivory kid top—button boot.
$12 Havana brown Military Boots with brown cloth top.
$10.50 vici kid Military Boots with gray kid top.
$10.00 vici kid Boots with gray or fawn cloth top.
$10.00 patent kid Boots with gray cloth quarters.
$9 vici kid Military Boots with gray or fawn cloth tops.
$8.50 all-vici kid Boots with Cuban heel.

$5.65

Women's 35c Stockings

WHITE Mercerized Stockings, high spliced heels and toe; slight irregulars; 35c quality, pair. 21c

WOMEN'S Fiber Silk Stockings in a variety of colors and black and white; slight irregulars; of 50c quality; 3 pair $1; pair. 35c

WOMEN'S Silk Stockings in a variety of fancy and plain colors; slight irregulars of $1.25 quality; pair. 73c

MEN'S Silk Socks black or white; double heel and toe; slight irregulars — of $1.25 and $1.50 quality; pair. 59c

(Street Floor—The Lindell.)

PAGE TALKS WITH BARON SONNINO

Discusses President's Message With Italian Foreign Minister.

ROME, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Thomas Nelson Page, the American Ambassador, yesterday called on Baron Sonnino, the Italian Foreign Minister, and had a lengthy discussion concerning President Wilson's message to Congress.

Paul D. Cravath, legal adviser to Oscar T. Crosby, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury now in financial matters, was received by the Financial Minister, Nitti; Signor Crespi, the Food Controller, and by the Minister of Agriculture. He discussed the question of supplies needed by Italy and means for reducing the high rate of exchange.

Grip Follows the Snow

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets taken in time will Prevent Grip. E. W. GROVE'S signature on box, 30c.—ADV.

REAR ADMIRAL HOWELL DIES

Originated Gyroscope Device for Steering Naval Torpedoes.

WARRENTON, W. Va., Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Rear Admiral John Adams Howell, 78 years old, retired, died yesterday at his home near here.

Admiral Howell was the originator of the gyroscopic steering torpedoes and other naval weapons and the author of several books.

Saturday's Specials

Silk Waists in Wind-Up

Sweeping Season-End Sale Saturday

Very Special $3.65 *Were $5.00 & $6.00*

Odds and ends from our big Holiday sales—the season's sharpest reductions on the most exquisite Blouses of the year. All wanted shades.

Distinctive Georgette Crepes
Soft Crepe de Chines
Satin and Taffeta Waists
Pastel and Suit Shades

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$25.00 Fur Collar Coats
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$25.00 Velour Coats
$22.50 Broadcloth Coats — $15

$39.75 Velour Coats
$37.50 Pompom Coats
$35.00 Bolivia Coats
$39.75 Silk Plush Coats — $25

Silk & Serge Dresses--Were $20 to $35-- $15

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Of fine sterling silver, hand-hammered design and of massive weight. Priced

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Magnificent Well and Tree Platters of brightly polished sterling silver. 18-inch size; priced at.

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Of sterling silver, elegantly wrought in pierced and scroll design, 16 inches high. It is priced

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For the Bridal Gift. Mahogany case, containing six knives, six forks, six teaspoons and six tablespoons in sterling silver.

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An adornment to every home. Sterling Silver Candlesticks, old Colonial pattern, 10 inches high. Pair

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Complete Service Set in exquisite "Mary Chilton" pattern, in sterling silver, 322 pieces in genuine mahogany case. Complete

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For Bridesmaids — Dorine Boxes, sterling silver, with finger chain; daintily cased, each..... $4.50

For Groomsmen — Pocket knife, of solid gold, with monogram neatly engraved. In case, each..... $5.00

For Groomsmen — Cigarette Cases, of sterling silver, elaborately monogrammed. Very appropriate. Price, each..... $14.00

RUSSIAN, HERE ON MISSION, TELLS OF ARRESTING CZAR

Alexander Bublikoff, Former Member of Duma, in City to Expedite Railway Supplies.

NATION'S PLIGHT CRITICAL

Declares Leaving It to Its Fate Would Be Great Mistake on Part of the Allies.

Alexander Bublikoff, former member of the Russian Duma, who personally arrested Czar Nicholas when the downfall of the Romanoff regime was effected, in an interview at Hotel Statler yesterday described to a Post-Dispatch reporter his experience and the conditions which have brought about the present situation in Russia.

Bublikoff arrived in St. Louis from Chicago as a member of the Russian Mission of Ways of Communication, which is here to inspect industrial plants in the St. Louis district, and to confer with local manufacturing companies which are holding up $2,000,000 worth of railway supplies for Russia. The mission has supervision over $100,000,000 worth of railroad equipment, which is being manufactured for Russia in various parts of the United States.

Tells of Arresting Czar.

Through an interpreter and in the presence of Prof. George Lomonossoff, president of the mission, Bublikoff related the historical incidents surrounding the arrest of the Czar.

"When the Czar heard of the revolutionary movement," said Bublikoff, "he was at the Grand Russian army headquarters. I had been made Minister of Ways of Communication by the newly formed (Kerensky) Government, and learning that the Czar had rallied several loyal regiments about him, with the idea of rushing them to Petrograd, I ordered all trains stopped. The Czar's train was held up, as were the troop trains.

"In the meantime the Soldiers' and Workmen's Council had met and demanded the abdication of the Czar. This was drawn up in the form of an edict and I rushed with it to the army headquarters.

"The Czar had been informed that the revolutionary movement was no local uprising, but was national in scope, so he returned to the headquarters of the army. When I arrived I presented the edict to him in the presence of many officers. Then, acting under instructions from the heads of the temporary Government, I placed him under arrest and, with revolutionary troops, escorted him to the Czar's home at Tzarskoe Selo, 15 miles from Petrograd.

Czar Realized Helplessness.

"The Czar accepted the situation gracefully, seeming to realize that the whole thing was not to be prevented. If the Czar could have rallied enough troops he would have tried to put down the revolution, but it had assumed too large a proportion when he learned of the uprising.

Bublikoff is the head of one of the large private railway systems in Russia. He left Petrograd Sept. 27 but did not arrive in this country until Dec. 26, having been greatly delayed in Norway, because of the difficulty of obtaining passage on an American-bound steamer. He will study industrial conditions while here, and will return to Russia with the idea of teaching American methods to Russian manufacturers.

The Bolshevik Government will not last more than six months, Bublikoff thinks. "The movement is doomed to failure," he said, "because it is not representative of the people. It is composed of radicals.

Kerensky "Chief Persuader."

"When I left Russia I foresaw the downfall of Kerensky's Government. He was not equal to the situation. Kerensky belonged to the intellectual part of Russia, which was against the idea of force. They charged the Czar with using force, to the total exclusion of everything else, and they were determined to work out a settlement without the aid of the iron hand.

"Kerensky tried by persuasion and speeches to win over the people, but it got to a point where everyone had a hand in the Government and there was no leadership. His attitude gained for him the title 'Chief Persuader,' and this became a joke among the people.

"The Bolsheviki has yet less chance to remain in power than Kerensky. While Kerensky only wrongly understood and spoke about Russia's economical problems, the Bolsheviki are trying to put these wrong principles into effect. Chief among these are the principles of Socialism. Russia is not ready for this. It is economically undeveloped, and far behind other countries. The salvation of Russia lies in developing the natural resources.

Russia at Most Critical Stage.

"Russia now is at the most critical period of the war. Germany is fighting this war with one intention, and that is to get new economical markets for her products. It would be the greatest mistake possible if the allies were to follow the recent advice of an English political leader and leave Russia to manage her own affairs.

"Germany will achieve her greatest victory if the allies abandon Russia now. Germany will gain control of all Russian markets, the vast raw materials and the purchasing power of 180,000,000 people. Russia is helpless without outside aid, and it is inevitable that she will make some sort of peace, unless the allies assist her. In aiding Russia now you will not be helping the Bolsheviki, but the Russian people. Your President has said he will deal with the German people. He should therefore aid the Russian people, who are not responsible for the Bolsheviki.

"A stable government will have been set up in Russia inside of six months. If the allies help Russia now I think she will in time be able to join in the successful prosecution of the war."

Members of the Mission.

Bublikoff and Prof. Lomonossoff, head of the mission, are accompanied by their wives. Other members of the party are George Klodnitsky, etc.

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Are You Ready

Your 1917 Income and Profit Taxes Are Due and Payable to the United States Government on June 15, 1918.

IF in the operation of your business during the first five and a half months of 1918 you should lose the profits you made in 1917, you will pay your taxes due the Government out of your capital.

GET BUSY NOW. DO MORE BUSINESS AND THEN MORE BUSINESS. MAKE MORE PROFITS AND MORE PROFITS EACH MONTH..

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The President of the United States took over the railroads not only to assure the stockholders the safety of their investments and the income thereon, but for the *great big broad purpose* of making it possible that the railroads be operated in such a way that no legitimate business be hampered for lack of transportation, either over the railroads themselves; or over waterways and highways as adjuncts.

The railroads under the direction of the United States Government must be so efficiently operated as to eliminate embargoes and priorities affecting business.

The United States must assist in winning this War. WAR IS OUR BUSINESS NOW AND BUSINESS IS OUR CHIEF WEAPON.

No legitimate business is a non-essential if it can make money because money is the most important munition of War.

PROFITABLE BUSINESS CHIEF WEAPON

Business must make more money this year than last year. The Government is going to need more money and still more money until this War has been won.

For ten years we have manufactured and sold motor trucks. During 1917 we sold more Autocars than in any previous year---this year we are going to manufacture and sell even more. Our business has steadily increased because Autocars have been profitable to the 6,000 American business houses that use them.

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counsel of the Murmon (Russian) Railroad; M. N. Groten, chief of the car division of the mission, and Serge Poutiloff, secretary to Prof. Lomonossoff. The party will depart for New York at noon Sunday, after inspecting large manufacturing plants here and on the East Side industrial district.

Prof. Lomonossoff has been in the United States since June and has an office in New York, where he directs the work of nearly 200 experts and inspectors attached to the mission. Prof. Lomonossoff also is a member of the Russian Extraordinary Mission sent to the United States by Kerensky to buy supplies. He formerly was a professor at Kharkoff and Petrograd technical universities and he is considered one of the foremost experts on Russian railroads.

Men's Pumps
85 pairs of Men's Pumps—patent leather or dull kid—rubber or leather soles—$3.50 and $4.00 values.
$1.95

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Army Shoes
160 pairs of Men's Army Shoes—regular Munson last—extra big values at
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Sweeping Clearance

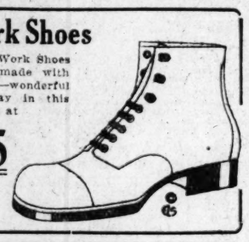
Prices Cut for Quick Disposal

Men's $6.00 and $7.00 Tan English Shoes--Also Blacks

AN offer that deserves the immediate attention of every man—fully 120 pairs of finest $6.00 and $7.00 Tan Shoes in the very latest English models, all sizes and widths—also hundreds of pairs of black Shoes in either kid or calfskin—a variety of lasts—positively the greatest values we have offered this season—Saturday at..... **$4.85**

Women's Shoes
$4.85 Values
HUNDREDS of pairs of Novelty Boots—about 30 different styles that formerly sold at $4.85—on sale tomorrow in the Bargain Room at
$3.39

Men's Work Shoes
140 pairs of Men's Work Shoes in tan or black—made with extra heavy soles—wonderful values for Saturday in this Sweeping Clearance at
$3.85



Boys' High Shoes
The kind of Shoes all boys like—cut extra high—exactly like illustration—sizes 9 to 13 and on up to big boys' No. 6—tan or black—regular $3.50 values, Saturday at..... **$2.98**

Scout Shoes for Boys
300 pairs of Boy's Scout Shoes which cannot be duplicated today for less than $3.00—we own these at a low price and they will go in this special sale Saturday at the unheard-of price of..... **$1.69**

NO MONEY NEEDED

SPECIAL SALE GENUINE ELGIN WATCHES

We have just received a late shipment of genuine Elgin Watches, intended for Xmas selling. In order to dispose of them at once—we shall sell these fine timekeepers at a wonderful saving. By buying now from us means that you obtain an Elgin at practically wholesale price. Cases are guaranteed 20-year gold-filled, in neat thin models. While the assortment lasts we will sell them for only..... **$18**

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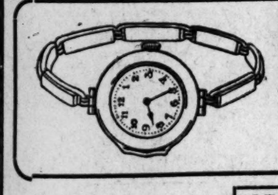

WRIST WATCHES AT A BIG BARGAIN $18

Included in this sale are a number of fine Wrist Watches — warranted to keep accurate time. These Watch Bracelets are really beautiful and should not be judged by their price, only.....

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"Never Did a Nation Have Its Cause Put More Clearly or on Broader Lines."

WAR AIMS ARE INDORSED

"Day America Entered Conflict One of Most Important in Annals of Mankind."

LONDON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—Arthur J. Balfour, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in a speech at Edinburgh last night, said:

"The United States now has for the first time in its history entered the great struggle for civilization against barbarism, of freedom against tyranny. I do not think that these new views on co-operation in the new world could have been introduced in a nobler manner than they have been introduced in the public pronouncements of President Wilson.

"Yesterday's I think was the greatest he has made. Never did a great nation have its cause put more clearly, more eloquently or on broader lines, and if the spirit which has animated his public statement is the key to future American policy we may truly say that we have as guardians of the future and of the great cause at stake in this war perhaps the greatest and most powerful of these communities which modern development has brought to the front to lead in the progress of humanity.

"All Previously Stated."

"I think that the day America entered the war was one of the most important in the annals of mankind. But it must be remembered that the pronouncements of Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson contain nothing that was not implicitly stated in the utterances of other statesmen, including the late Premier.

"The spirit that has animated Britain and her allies has undergone no profound modification. We did not enter the war for selfish motives and we are not going to fight to the finish for selfish motives. I can see little improvement in the attitude of the Central Powers except that they now admit that it might be better for mankind if in the future wars were averted. That shows some improvement in the moral tone of the Germans, but so far as I can understanl German pronouncements they have not begun to understand the moral horror which their procedure has instilled even into the most recalcitrant students of German methods and aims.

"As to Belgium, Germany has unhesitatingly and absolutely rejected that she should do something to reconstitute what she, against all international morality, has utterly destroyed.

A League of Nations.

"With a Power like Germany lacking morality, none of the objects mentioned by the Premier and President Wilson can be realized. I am not going to discuss whether a league of nations has reached the stage of being a practical idea. While I recognize the difficulties, it would be mean and cowardly to shrink from them. I hope the world at large will take that great problem in hand and see it through.

"If we are going to have a league of nations in order to render international relations stable and secure peace we must have international relations based on a stable foundation. Only this would make the league effective.

"If a German peace were made we should have all over Europe centers from which morbid effects would flow—France with the great wrong of Alsace-Lorraine unredeemed; Poland a maimed community and Italian unity imperfectly accomplished.

"A German peace would not leave the world as the war found it, but far worse. All the horror we have suffered would not be equal to the horror that would fall upon us, our children and our grandchildren if the war should end with a German peace."

DIES FROM BLOW YEAR AGO

Edward Demaske Hit Trying to Stop a Fight in Little Rock, Ark.

Edward Demaske, 46 years old, died yesterday at the home of his father-in-law, F. C. Pauley, 939 Maple place, as the result of a blow received a year ago while trying to separate two clerks who were fighting in his store at Little Rock, Ark.

The blow, aimed by one of the clerks at the other, struck Demaske above the heart and caused a bruise which developed into cancer. He gave up his business and returned to St. Louis four months ago. He was formerly a member of a hat firm in St. Louis. He is survived by his widow and a daughter.

TAKES POISON BY MISTAKE

Girl Sent to Hospital After Swallowing Mercury Tablets.

Miss Helen Kenney, 18 years old, of 5501 Cates avenue, a high school girl, was sent to the city hospital early yesterday after taking three mercury tablets by mistake.

According to the police report she was suffering from headache and went to the bathroom of her home to take some headache tablets but got the poison tablets instead.

Private Shot Accidentally on Transport.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (By A. P.).—The War Department today announced that Private Fred M. Cook, aero squadron, aboard a United States transport, had been accidentally shot and killed. His mother is Mrs. Hattie Burnham of Fort Wayne, Ind.

SOLDAN TEACHER HONORED BY FRENCH CABINET OF FINE ARTS

Miss Cornelia Brossard of Kirkwood Says Election Is Equivalent to Conferring Honorary Degree.

Miss Cornelia Brossard of Kirkwood, teacher of French at Soldan High School, today said she had been notified of her election to the Cabinet of Public Instruction and Fine Arts, of France. The election, she said, is the equivalent of receiving, in this country, an honorary college degree, with the added distinction that the honor is seldom conferred outside of France.

Miss Brossard has done considerable war work. She holds a master's and a bachelor's degree in French, and is within a few points of a doctor's degree. She gave French lessons three nights a week to the last nurses who departed from Barnes Hospital to join Hospital Unit No. 21. She also has translated a number of technical treatises on surgery, containing information gathered in military hospitals, for American surgeons.

The decoration accompanying the parchment of notification consists of a gold wreath, half laurel and half palm, suspended from a purple ribbon. It was given to her Monday by Marc Sequin, French Consul here.

Quinine That Does Not Affect Head. Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on box. 30c.—ADV.

German Waiters' Official Ends Life.

William Schlueter, 57 years old, of 2617 Arsenal stret, manager of the German Waiters' Society, shot and killed himself at his home yesterday.

Brandt's FOOTWEAR
618 Washington Ave.

Big Economy Sale Continues---Featuring Shoes for Children

The following values are particularly appealing at this time, as they are sturdy, comfortable, dependable Shoes, designed to keep the children's feet dry and warm during the cold, snowy, slushy, Winter weather.

Boys' Army Shoes
As illustrated—an exact copy of the U. S. Army Shoe, made on the comfortable Munson last, of fine grade of heavy storm calf leather, tan color, with extra heavy flexible soles. A decided bargain at the following low prices:
Sizes 2½ to 5½, $4.50 value, cut to....$3.75
Sizes 13 to 2, $4.25 value, cut to....$3.45
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Boys' Gunmetal Shoes
Made on foot conforming lines of excellent black calf with heavy, durable soles; choice of lace or button style.
Sizes 3 to 5½, $3.50 value, cut to.....$2.95

Tan and Black Play Shoes
Just the shoe for growing children. They are scientifically built on foot conforming lines of fine grade of calfskin, with flexible soles; choice of tan or black, lace or button style, special
Sizes 5 to 8.....$1.95
Sizes 8½ to 11.....$2.25

Misses' Gunmetal Shoes
Built to withstand hard wear, yet are neat enough for any occasion. Made of gunmetal calf with waterproof, silent Neolin soles.
Sizes 8½ to 11, $3.50 value, cut to....$2.95
Sizes 11½ to 2, $4.00 value, cut to....$3.45

Brandt's careful fitting is an advantage your child should have.

There Is Only ONE Way to Save Money... and that is to SAVE

Hooverize your nickels and dimes and by next Xmas you will have plenty of money for gifts or for other purposes.

The Night & Day Bank
818 OLIVE ST.,
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For the Fifth Consecutive Year. This is the easiest and best way to save. Come in and let us show you. Don't delay.

JOIN TODAY
in any of the following classes.
$25, $50, $63.75, $100, $250

DEATHS

Death notices, first 6 lines or less, $1; each extra line 20c; memoriams, etc. 10c per line

CALLAHAN—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 3:30 a. m., James A. Callahan, beloved son of Mary Callahan (nee Kelley), and the late Cornelius Callahan, and dear brother of Maurice, William and Michael Callahan, after a lingering illness.

Funeral Saturday, Jan. 12, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 5351 Easton avenue, to the St. Mark's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Carriages. (c6)

DAMASKE—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 8 a. m., Edward F. Damaske, beloved husband of Lillian Pauley Damaske, dear father of Ruth H. Damaske, brother of William A. Damaske and Mrs. W. W. Up De Graf and our dear son-in-law and brother-in-law, at the age of 44 years.

Funeral Saturday, Jan. 12, at 2:30 p. m., from the Kron chapel, 2707 North Grand avenue, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Interment private. Motor. (c)

DEATHS

DILLARD—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 4 p. m., Julia Dillard (nee Downey), beloved mother of Mrs. Rosie Sommers, Mrs. Nellie Gentill, and William Dillard and dear sister, mother-in-law and grandmother.

Funeral Monday, Jan. 14, 1918, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 1617 Blair avenue, to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends respectively invited. Carriages.

St. Joseph (Mo.) papers please copy. (c7)

DROLSHAGEN — Suddenly, on Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1918, William Drolshagen, beloved father of John Drolshagen, Mrs. Charles Obert and Mrs. Angelo Rubano, in his sixty-ninth year.

Funeral Saturday, Jan. 12, at 1:30 p. m., from the residence of his daughter, 3936 California avenue to Old Cathedral Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Mutual Aid Society, Independent Packing Co. (c)

DUNCAN—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1918, at 12 noon, Stanley Duncan, dear son of William E. Duncan, dear brother of William E. Jr. and Le Roy Duncan, in his fourteenth year.

Remains at residence of his grandparents, Mrs. Henry A. Duncan, 1220 South Newstead avenue, until Saturday, Jan. 12, at 8:30 a. m. Interment at Robertsville, Mo. (c5)

EGGERS—Asleep in Jesus, on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 2:45 a. m., at his residence, 1309 South Broadway, Andrew Eggers Sr., beloved husband of Christina Eggers (nee Mertz), and dear father of Andrew Jr., Charles and Herman Eggers and our father-in-law and grandfather, aged 74 years and 7 months.

Funeral on Saturday, Jan. 12, at 1:30 p. m., from the Adolph Meyer Undertaking Co. chapel, 801 Park avenue to Evangelical Lutheran Trinity Church, thence to Concordia Cemetery. Motor. (c)

HILD—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Sunday, Jan. 6, 1918, Conrad Hild, beloved husband of the late Mary Hild.

Funeral will take place from Mullen's chapel, St. Louis avenue and Sarah street, on Sunday, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m., to Friedens Cemetery. Motor. Funeral private. (c7)

To the General Public, Retailer and Consumer:

The purpose of this advertisement is to advise that the TROCO now being sold at A CUT PRICE IN ST. LOUIS is out of a carload which was delayed so long in transit that upon arrival in St. Louis, it was rejected by us, because in our opinion it is NOT GOOD ENOUGH to distribute to the people of St. Louis and vicinity. This car was then sold by the Railroad Company delivering the car at a sacrifice price. Because the contents of this car were not in accordance with our advertised standard, we refused to distribute the TROCO in this car. It is due both to ourselves as the manufacturers and to the local distributors of this product as well as to the general public that this statement be published.

Troco Nut Butter Company
Milwaukee, Wisconsin,

Hofmann Bros. Produce Co.
Distributors
Main 3438-3439 Central 255-266

Notice: Under the law, all butter substitutes must be branded Oleomargarine. That law was passed before Troco was invented. So the Troco package is branded "Oleomargarine" though there is no oleo in it.

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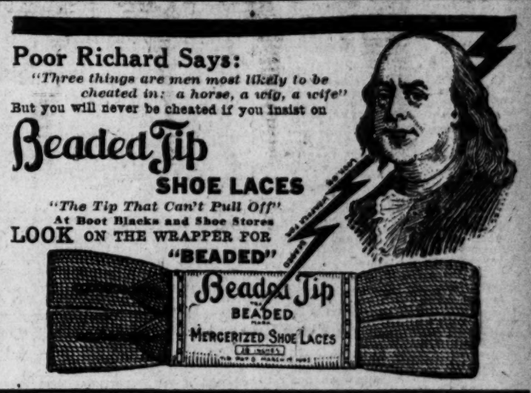
"Three things are men most likely to be cheated in: a horse, a wig, a wife"
But you will never be cheated if you insist on
Beaded Tip SHOE LACES
"The Tip That Can't Pull Off"
At Boot Blacks and Shoe Stores
LOOK ON THE WRAPPER FOR "BEADED"



WEAK KIDNEYS MEAN A WEAK BODY

When you're fifty, your body begins to creak a little at the hinges. Motion is more slow and deliberate "Not so young as I used to be" is a frequent and unwelcome thought. Certain bodily functions upon which good health and good spirits so much depend are impaired. The weak spot is generally the bladder. Unpleasant symptoms show themselves. Painful and annoying complications in other organs arise. This is particularly true with elderly people. If you only know how, this trouble can be obviated.

For over 200 years GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been relieving the inconvenience and pain due to advancing years. It is a standard, old-time home remedy, and needs no introduction. It is now put up in odorless, tasteless capsules. These are easier and more pleasant to take than the oil in bottles.

Each capsule contains about one dose or five drops. Take them just like you would any pill, with a small swallow of water. They soak into the system and throw off the poisons which are making you old before your time. They will quickly relieve those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gallstones, gravel, "brick-dust," etc. They are an effective remedy for all diseases of the bladder, kidney, liver, stomach and allied organs.

Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. Money refunded if they do not help you. Three sizes GOLD MEDAL are the pure, original imported Haarlem Oil Capsules. Accept no substitutes.—ADV.

DEATHS

GEHRING-ROENFELDT—On Thursday, Jan. 10, at 5:15 a. m., Louise E. Gehring (nee Roenfeldt), aged 33 years, dearly beloved wife of August H. Gehring and dear mother of Lorine Gehring and dear daughter of Mrs. Louise Roenfeldt and our dear sister and sister-in-law and daughter-in-law.

Funeral from residence, 2571A Montgomery street, Sunday, Jan. 13, at 1:30 p. m., to Evangelical Zion's Church, Twenty-fifth and Benton streets, thence to Bethania Cemetery. Motor. Relatives and friends are invited. (7)

HENRY—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 2 p. m., John Henry, dear beloved father of Mrs. Margaret H. Joy and William Henry, in his seventy-eighth year.

Funeral on Saturday, Jan. 12, at 1:30 p. m., from the residence of his son, 5030 Arsenal street, to Calvary Cemetery. Motor. Deceased was a member of Ransom Post, G. A. R.

Indianapolis and Lafayette (Ind.) papers please copy. (c)

HILD—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 5:55 a. m., Mary Hild, beloved wife of the late Conrad Hild.

Funeral will take place from Mullen's chapel, St. Louis avenue and Sarah street, on Sunday, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m., to Friedens Cemetery. Motor. Funeral private. (c7)

LINSTROTH—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1918, at 7:15 a. m., Arnold H. Linstroth, beloved husband of Sophia Klein Linstroth (nee Ott), dear father of Adelia Workman, Mamie Churchill, Ada Bernard (nee Linstroth), Clarence and Francis Linstroth, and dear brother of Caroline Sebastian, and our dear father-in-law, grandfather, brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 60 years.

Funeral on Saturday, Jan. 12, at 3 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros. chapel, 1623 Cherokee street, to New St. Marcus Cemetery. Motor. Deceased was a member of Modern Woodmen of America. (c5)

LIVINGSTONE—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 11:45 p. m., Frank Livingstone, beloved brother of Violet Livingstone, nephew of Mary Flaherty.

Funeral will take place from Arthur J. Donnelly's funeral parlors, Twenty-first and Wash streets. Due notice of time will be given. (c)

DEATHS

KREJCI—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 6 a. m., Mildred Krejci, dearly beloved child of Charles W. and Anna Krejci, our dear grandchild, cousin and niece, at the age of 8 years 9 months and 4 days.
Funeral from family residence, 2127 Neosho street on Saturday, Jan. 12, at 8.30 a. m., to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.
Wellsville (Mo.) papers please copy. (c)

MALONE—On Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 6:30 a. m., Patrick Malone, beloved husband of Anna Malone (nee Sullivan), father of Mamie A. Malone and the late Thomas F., William P. and Anna H. Malone.
Funeral Saturday, Jan. 12, at 9 a. m., from Cullen & Kelly funeral chapel, 1416 North Taylor avenue, to Calvary Cemetery. Funeral private. Please omit flowers. Deceased was a member of Oriental Meta Lodge No. 19, A. O. U. W.

MILLER—Entered into rest Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 4 p. m., Fred Miller, beloved husband of Emma Miller (nee Tyler), and dear father of Selma Miller, aged 52 years.
Funeral on Saturday Jan. 12, at 2 p. m., from L. Spelbrink's funeral parlors, 1323 Franklin avenue. Burial at St. Mathews' Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Motor. (c)

MUELLER—Entered into rest Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 10 a. m., William F. Mueller of 3626 Wyoming street, beloved husband of Laura Mueller (nee Wittler), dear father of Oliver Mueller, Florence Schertz (nee Mueller), and our dear father-in-law, grandfather, brother, brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 48 years and 7 months.
Funeral Sunday, Jan. 13, at 3 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros. chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to St. Mathew's Cemetery. Motor. (c96)

OHLENDORF—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1918, at 2 a. m., Frank Ohlendorf, beloved husband of Alma Ohlendorf (nee Huether), and our dear brother, brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 54 years 5 months 21 days.
Funeral on Saturday, Jan. 12, at 1.30 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros.' chapel 2623 Cherokee street, to Friedens Cemetery. Funeral private. Please omit flowers. Motor. Deceased was a member of St. Louis Camp, No. 5, W. O. W., and St. Louis Park Association.
Madison and Granite City (Ill.) papers please copy. (c5)

RICHARDS—On Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 7 p. m., Charles G. Richards, beloved son of Caroline Richards Bender, dear brother of Owen and Mrs. Emil Jasper, James and Rowena Richards, aged 27 years 6 months 15 days.
Funeral from family residence, 7207 Pennsylvania avenue, Sunday, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m. Interment at Odd Fellows' Cemetery. Carriages. (c6)

SCHLUETER—Suddenly on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 9:15 a. m., William Schlueter, beloved husband of Hulda Schlueter (nee Bamberger), dear father of Mrs. G. Schroeder and Frieda Schlueter, and our dear grandfather, in his fifty-eighth year.
Funeral Saturday at 3 p. m., from Witt Bros. chapel, 2929 S. Jefferson avenue, to Missouri Crematory. Motor. Deceased was a member of Bartenders' Benevolent Association, Local No. 51, and Kellner Verein. (c)

SCHNEIDER—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, at 12 o'clock noon, Christina Schneider (nee Judd), beloved wife of John P. Schneider, dear mother of Christina Riedweg, William and Frederick Schneider and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother and aunt, at the age of 74 years.
Funeral on Monday, Jan. 14, at 1.30 p. m., from Zeigenhein Bros.' chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Motor. (96)

SCOTT—Entered into rest on Friday, Jan. 11, 1918, Mary A. Scott, beloved wife of George E. Scott, sister of Edwin F. Smith and Mrs. Nellie Butler, aged 64 years 4 months 14 days.
Funeral Sunday, Jan. 13, at 2:15 p. m., from residence, 2029 John avenue, to Bowman M. E. Church, Carter and North Grand avenue, thence to Friedens Cemetery. (c)

SEEGER—Entered into rest on Wednesday evening, Jan. 9, 1918, William Seeger, beloved husband of Paula Seeger (nee Beerhalter), dear father of Pauline Mueller (nee Seeger), and Carl Seeger, dear father-in-law of F. O. Mueller, grandfather of Paula and F. O. Mueller Jr.
Funeral Sunday, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery from Seeger's Hall, 1925 South Jefferson avenue. Motor. (c6)

SMEKTALSKI—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1918, Stanley Smektalski, beloved husband of Deborah Smektalski (nee Quinlivan), father of John Smektalski, brother of William Smektalski and Mary Kenski.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 2629 Howard street, on Saturday morning, Jan. 12, at 8:30 o'clock, to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Motor. (c)

SNOW—Suddenly on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 6 a. m., Clara Jane Snow, dearly beloved daughter of the late Joseph Snow, and dear sister of Joseph Snow Jr., our dear niece and granddaughter and cousin, in her twenty-first year.
Funeral from family residence, 601 South Broadway, Sunday, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m., to Frieden's Cemetery. Motor. (c)

VOGELBEIN—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1918, at 3 p. m., Bernhard C. Vogelbein, dearly beloved husband of Mary Vogelbein, (nee Voelp), brother of the late Henry J. Vogelbein and our dear brother-in-law and uncle, in his fifty-ninth year.
Funeral on Saturday, Jan. 12, at 8:30 a. m., from Kreigshauser chapel, 4102 Manchester avenue, to St. Bernhard's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Motor. Please omit flowers.
Brusch (Colo.) papers please copy. (c5)

WANGELIN—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918, at 4:25 p. m., Fred Wangelin, beloved father of Herman and Albert Wangelin.
Funeral from Geraghty's chapel, 4822 Easton avenue on Saturday, Jan. 12, at 2:30 p. m. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery. Carriages. (c)

WELLS—Entered into rest Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1918, 8:50 a. m., George W. Wells, beloved husband of Minnie Wells (nee Wiest), and dear father of Charles S., Jessie, Archie A. and Stella Wells, Mrs. Pauline Schell (nee Wells), Lottie Sloan (nee Wells), Martha Lesyna (nee Wells), and our father-in-law and grandfather.
Funeral will take place from Simpson chapel, 6423 Michigan avenue, on Saturday, Jan. 12, at 9 a. m., to Old St. Marcus' Cemetery. Motor. (c)

WITTE—On Friday, Jan. 11, 1918, suddenly, Evelyn D. Witte, dearly beloved daughter of Arthur H. and Ida Witte (nee Stremmel), and our dear sister and grandchild, aged 10 months 3 days.
Funeral on Monday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m., from residence, 1150 South King's highway. Motor. (c)

PERSONAL

Personal and Special Notices, 20c per line; out-of-town orders 5c per line extra; Adoption and Coming Events, 15c—solid agate. Minimum 2 lines. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pulitzer Publishing Co. will be held at the office of the company, 12th and Olive sts., in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, Jan. 21, 1918, convening at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
JOSEPH PULITZER JR., President.
J. T. KELLER, Secretary.
St. Louis, Jan. 8, 1918. (c8)

PERSONAL

Full amounts must accompany orders by mail

PERSONAL—E. C. would like to see Hank right away; important.

PERSONAL—Bro.: See me next week, or phone; worried. Sis.

COMING EVENTS.

THE Flynn Health Culture Club meets every Friday night in Central High School Building. Everybody welcome. (c93)

$100 IN cash and prizes given away at our Masquerade and Domino Dance, Cave Hall, Olive and 29th sts., Saturday eve., Jan. 12. Dancing from 8 p. m. to 2 a. m.; grand march at 11 p. m. Ahern & Albers. (c6)

DIVIDEND NOTICES

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors of this company, held today, there was declared the usual quarterly dividend of $1.75 per share upon the preferred stock, payable Feb. 1, 1918, to preferred stockholders of record Jan. 19, 1918.
BROWN SHOE CO., INC.
WM. KRAIL, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE Supreme Court of New South Wales in Equity—No. 6924 of 1917. In the matter of the estate of Samuel Simmons, commonly known as Samuel Edmond Simmons, late of New Caledonia, deceased, intestate, between Nathan Simmons, plaintiff, and David Simmons and others, defendants. Pursuant to the decree of the Supreme Court of New South Wales in its equitable jurisdiction, made in the above suit on the 12th day of October, 1917, Lawrence Simmons, formerly of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, who for some time resided in St. Louis, and who it is believed assumed and was known by the surname of "Sidney" or "Sydney," is by his solicitor required to come in and prove his claim to participate in the distribution of the estate of his brother, the above-named Samuel Edmond Simmons, who died at Noumea in New Caledonia on the 28th day of March, 1916. If the said Lawrence Simmons is dead and he predeceased the said Samuel Edmond Simmons, then the persons claiming to be the issue of the said Lawrence Simmons are required to come in and prove their claims to participate in the said distribution, and if the said Lawrence Simmons is dead and he died after the said Samuel Edmond Simmons, then the persons claiming to be the legal personal representatives of the said Lawrence Simmons are required to come in and prove their claims to participate in the said distribution. The said Lawrence Simmons and the said persons, respectively, are so required to come in and prove their claims at the offices of the Master in Equity of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, situate at the Supreme Court Building, Elizabeth street, Sydney, by filing in the offices of the said master on or before the 31st day of May, 1918, an affidavit or affidavits stating the nature and particulars of their respective claims. After the last-mentioned date the said master will proceed to adjudicate upon such claims, and all persons who do not come in and prove their claims within the time so fixed as aforesaid, will be excluded from the benefit of the said decree.
Dated the 15th day of November, 1917.
H. P. OWEN, Master in Equity.
ALLEN, ALLEN & HEMSLEY, Wigram House, 19 Castlereagh street, Sydney, Plaintiff's solicitors.
WALTER J. G. NEUN, attorney, 1706 Third National Bank Building, St. Louis, Mo.

LOST and FOUND

Solid agate, 15c line, minimum 30c. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

LOST

BRACELET—Lost; friendship; finder please call Julia Brown, Bomont 2000.

CUFF BUTTON—Lost, gold, oval, J. A. Gavin, Juvenile Court.

CUFF LINK—Lost, hammered silver, black line on border; reward. Call Cabany 4105. (c)

DOG—Lost, small fox terrier, female; answers name Trixie; reward, 4153 Carter. (7)

DOG—Lost, brindle bull, Dec. 31; white marked; has sweater and large collar; reward if returned 2838 Olive.

EARRINGS—Lost; pair diamond screw, in or near Dunn's pawn shop, 912 Franklin av.; party return same, reward and no questions asked. 1324 S. Theresa. (5)

ELK'S WATCH CHARM—Lost. Liberal reward for return. Phone Olive 4605; Central 4374. (c7)

ENVELOPE—Lost; marked C. R. Hettel Jewelry Co., containing 12-size open face Howard watch and watch bezel in brass box. Reward. W. F. Kemper Co., 307 Equitable Bldg., 613 Locust st. (6)

EYEGLASS CASE—Lost, silver, containing silver eyeglasses and small change; monogram on one side, N. S. M., other side, Mrs. Hoyden Miller; in Grand Opera House or Page car; reward. Cabany 3827. 5802 Julian. (6)

FOX MUFF—Lost, black, Thursday afternoon, at toboggan slide, Art Hill. Please call Mrs. Ferriss, Cabany 1953; reward. (c)

FUR BAG—Lost, with gold chain, on Delmar car between Taylor and Grand; reward. Forest 5724.

GLOVE—Lost; water mink fur; lamb's-wool lined; liberal reward. 3416A Utah st.; Sidney 1970.

GLOVE—Lost; tan ladies' glove; in neighborhood of 4400 Easton av. or 4500 Delmar bl. Please return to 1424A N. Taylor. Reward.

HAND BAG—Lost, Grand car to Page car; glasses, keys and working women's check; reward. Delmar 1814L.

KEYS—Lost; Wednesday; between 7th and Spruce and Grand and Magnolia; finder please notify E. A. K., Cupples Tire Co., 7th and Spruce.

LA VALLIERE—Lost; chip diamond in onyx, on Jefferson or Laclede car, between Pestalozzi and Ranken and Laclede. Return 3348 Laclede; reward.

LIBERTY BONDS—Lost, two $100 bonds, Nos. 684,140 and 684,141. Apply 800 S. Broadway; reward.

MINK MUFF—Lost, between Thurman and Russell, Saturday; reward. 4920 Cleveland. (c)

MONEY—Lost, $5 bill, Thursday evening, Union av. Phone Forest 3109; reward. (c6)

MONEY—Lost; a $1 and $10 bill; on or between Ashland and Natural Bridge or Newstead. Colfax 1189J. Reward. (c)

MONEY—Lost; tied in handkerchief, in downtown district; return to 2520 S. Broadway; reward. (c7)

MOONSTONE PIN—Lost; moon face carved, surrounded by brilliants. Call Main 358 or return to 919 Locust st.; reward. (c8)

MUFF—Lost, mink, round, brown, Tuesday morning, on Page car or electric station. Return to 3674 Cook; reward.

NECKLACE—Lost, gold bead, Thursday. Riverside 25; reward. (c)

NECKPIECE—Lost, fur, white, between Leffingwell and Garrison, on Pine st.; reward. Return 3149 Laclede.

PILLOW MUFF—Lost, two heads, 7 tails; reward. 4959 Wabada. Forest 1856. (c)

PIN—Lost; sunburst diamond; inlaid with pearls; between 3812 Fairview and Grand car; between 5 and 6 last night; liberal reward. 3812 Fairview. Victor 2724. (c)

PURSE—Lost, black leather, Grand car, Thursday evening, $13, key and other valuables. Finder call Forest 5821R after 6 p. m.; reward.

SKUNK MUFF—Lost, dark brown, in eastbound Kirkwood-Ferguson or University car, Wednesday afternoon. Return to 216 Market; reward.

SPECTACLES—Lost; northeast corner Jefferson and Cherokee; return to Schedler Grocery, 3860 S. Jefferson; reward. (c5)

WATCH—Lost; Second st., between Carr and Tyler. Return 1121 Obear; reward. (c5)

WATCH—Lost, gold, on Shaw av.; belongs to boy, but will give reward. Main 4104, ask for Bob.

WRIST WATCH—Lost; between Spring and Grand on Washington, or between Washington, Olive on Grand; reward. Bomont 1583.

FOUND

BUNCH KEYS—Found, 6 keys, 1306 Olive. Can have same by calling at 1306 Olive.

BUNCH KEYS—Found, near Grand and Botanical. Phone Grand 1946R.

LIBERTY BOND—Found, $50 bond. Call Cabany 749R. (c6)

POINTER DOG—Found; owner can have same by identifying at 1520 S. 10th after 6 p. m.

WATCH—Found; boy's; on Lindell near Euclid. Telephone Colfax 1312. (c)

WRIST WATCH—Found; in Compton Heights; send description to Box B-246, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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Solid agate, 15c line, minimum 30c. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

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CHICAGO STEAM CARPET CLEANING AND RUG WEAVING CO., 3829 Finney av. Lindell 2030, Delmar 2451. (c8)

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES

ASH HAULING Wtd.—Bomont 2115. (c)

ELECTRIC light wiring or repairing. Chapman, electrician, 3328 S. 9th. Sidney 3684W. (c65)

LOFTIS BROS & CO. The National Credit Jewelers—Rock-bottom prices and easy terms on diamonds, watches, jewelry. Second floor, 308 N. 6th st. Open evenings. (c8)

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STORAGE AND MOVING

OLIVE CO., charges $3 per load; pianos hoisted. Delmar 3860, Lindell 4889.

IF YOU want to know the price of storage, moving, packing, call Keiner, 4721A Cote Brilliante. Delmar 1399R. (c14)

SOUTH SIDE Moving and Storage Co., 1903 Sidney st.; dead storage for your car during winter; heated, fireproof warehouse. Phone Sidney 235, Victor 607. (c8)

STORAGE, moving and packing; by contract; no hour; for cash or old furniture. Union Moving Co., 2219 Gravois. Sidney 1585W. (c14)

A DOLLAR saved a dollar made; we tell you just what it costs to move, store and pack before we start; furniture in exchange. Keiner, Central 421R, Olive 3721. (c14)

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ACCOUNTANT will post, open and close your books, make out income and war profit tax. Box E-91, Post-Dispatch. (80)

DANCING

LADIES' class every Monday at 8:30; lessons, 25c. Arcadia, 3517 Olive st. (c8)

PRIVATE dancing lessons, 4415 Washington. Latest dances guaranteed in six lessons. Forest 4803. Mrs. Miller. (c8)

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LEARN to dance at Arcadia, Cox School of Dancing, 3517-21 Olive st. Private lessons any hour, class lessons every evening; start any time. Phone Lindell 4358. (c8)

NATIONAL DANCING ACADEMY—21st and Olive; dancing Thursday, Saturday and Sunday; lessons afternoon and evenings. (6)

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BELMONT says: Don't be a nail; it's no good until it's driven; study acting for pictures and the stage, singing, dancing, chorus and vaudeville. Belmont School, Odeon Bldg.; established 1912. (c63)

$100 IN cash and prizes given away at our masquerade and domino dance, Cave Hall, Olive and 29th sts., Saturday eve., Jan. 12; dancing from 8 p. m. to 2 a. m.; grand march at 11 p. m. Ahern & Albers. (c6)

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DETECTIVE LADY—Does shadowing, investigating; thoroughly reliable; strictly confidential. Forest 1133. (c6)

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SCHOLARSHIP—For sale. Rubicam Business College. Box E-285, Post-Dis. (96)

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NEW CURE without knife, Senile Cataract and Glaucoma. Box B-248, Post-Dis. (c96)

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CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by colored; does own repairing; will do other work; 6 years' experience; careful driver. Bomont 1334R.

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JANITOR—Sit. by man; good references. Box E-25, Post-Dispatch. (5)

MAN—Reliable, colored, 32, desires work of any kind. M. Winston, 3120 Laclede.

MAN—24, exempt, desires clerical office work; 5 years' experience; can operate typewriter. Box E-4, Post-Dispatch. (80)

MAN—Sit.; experienced farming; wants work on farm by month; wife do house work for board. Box 420, Dalton City, Ill. (6)

MAN—Sit. by young, aged 20 years; can run automobile; also has had office experience, references. A. C. Carvell, 3816A Shenandoah, or Victor 2060J. (5)

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MAN—High-grade, wants connection with reputable concern; executive ability, credits, collections, correspondence, salesmanship; bond and unquestionable references. Box K-230, Post-Dispatch. (c80)

OFFICE MAN—Sit.; age 23; 5 years' office experience; last two years in claims, accounts and correspondence. Box E-310, Post-Dispatch.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

LAW POINTS.

ILLMA—A common-law marriage is recognized in Missouri; divorce would naturally be required before another marriage would be legal.

W. K.—The law, in certain cases, has often worked injustice, and it seems to have done so in your case. We do not doubt that you are a loyal man, but only Congress can change the law.

OLLIE.—A widow, having a widowed daughter living with her and dependent upon her for support, is the head of the family and therefore entitled to an exemption of $2000 under the income tax law.

BUSY.—To operate a still to make alcohol and whisky from grain raised by yourself, or to sell the distilled article, there must be registration. Even having a still in your possession would require it.

WAR TALK.

STRANGER.—See civil service office, 3d and Olive, about inspectors.

TOOTS.—Try writing War Department to learn husband's location, etc.

WORRIED MOTHER.—The State could not well divorce your soldier son unless there are the usual grounds.

M. K. H.—Mail to France is addressed to name of soldier, his regiment and company, or other unit, and "American Expedition Forces."

MRS. V. P.—He very probably would be sent home. Nothing much can be done. However, a letter to his commanding officer calling attention to the man's physical condition might help some.

BACON.—The service flag was designed by Capt. R. L. Queisser of Cleveland, O. The Chamber of Commerce and the City Council of Cleveland recommended its use, and the flag became instantly popular throughout the country. At the last session of Congress a bill was introduced to make the flag official, and it was suggested that $50,000 be appropriated to provide flags for families having sons and daughters in service. The pressure of war legislation sidetracked the bill. But the display of this flag has become so general as to make official adoption an unimportant formality. No such sanction is any longer needed. The standard measurement of the service flag is four by five feet, but the flags are necessarily made to order in many cases and the number of stars to be displayed may require another proportion of length and breadth. In some instances it has been impossible to display the hundreds, and even thousands, of stars representing men from a single corporation who have entered the army or navy. Under these circumstances it has generally been deemed best to form on the white center field numerals to denote the number of men under the colors, forming the numerals of little stars. It was the idea of the originator of the flag that the stars should represent both men and women who have entered actively into national service by abandoning normal employment for work directly concerned with the war. The tendency is to restrict the flag to the representation of men or women in the military or naval service—women being in the naval service, for example, as yeomen. Several suggestions have been made of ways to indicate the death of a person represented by a star on a service flag. The best seem to be the substitution of a gold star with a black border, or removal of the blue star from the white field and placing of a white star in the red border.

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. W. B.—Try junk shops.

A. B. C.—Write movie magazines.

A. G.—See civil service, 3d and Olive, about inspectors.

ALPHA OM.—Try reporting the loafer to the Chief of Police.

E. E. E.—Feminine rural route mail carriers are now no longer appointed.

R. N. V.—For city officials and their offices, see directory in any drug store.

D. 20—Try writing Ordnance Department, Washington, D. C., or Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Ill., about demand for iron pyrites.

JUNO.—The educated person in America does not rank on the same level as an uneducated person, except, perhaps, in the matter of voting and the "rights of man."

MISS D. L.—Legitimate drama is the legitimate drama, as distinguished from the ephemeral productions of the stage, such as farce-comedies, burlesques, extravaganzas.

LUELLA—Gilmore was the bandmaster who died in St. Louis suddenly Sep. 24, 1892. Karl Komzak, leader of orchestra at Tyrolean Alps, World's Fair, was killed by a tram car in Vienna a year or two after the Fair.

ANXIOUS.—Scalp eczema: Soften scalp crusts with oil, then remove; cut hair if matted. Then apply this mixture on strips of lint: Bismuthi oxidi, 1 dram; acidi oleici, 8 drams; cerae albae, 3 drams; vaseline, 9 drams.

SCHOOLBOY.—There is no law prohibiting the President from accepting gifts of a personal nature from anyone, though when presented by the heads of foreign governments it is customary for him to accept them in the name of the United States. Would you deprive him of his turkey gift?

INQUIRER.—Board of Education: C. W. Johnson, Rep.; Richard Murphy, Dem.; Ben P. Stromberg, Rep.; Frank A. Gannon, Dem.; H. A. Roskopf, Rep.; Henry Gettys, Dem.; Henry Wolfner, Rep.; B. H. Pluempe, Dem.; Stephen M. Wagner, Rep.; Joseph Joering, Dem.; Frank X. Hiemenz, Rep.; John M. Grant, Dem.

LOYAL.—Get from Secret Service Commission at Washington, D. C., an application, blank, fill it out properly, send it to Secretary of Treasury marked "personal," together with facts regarding your personal experience, training, qualifications and character. The qualifications are confined strictly to experience and personal fitness, irrespective of "pull."

ONE WHO WANTS TO KNOW.—The chief difference between the Socialist party in the United States and the Socialist party in Europe is that Socialism having been introduced in the United States largely by German immigrants, who had fled from Germany because of Government persecution, was a foreign growth, while in Europe it developed naturally in each country from economic conditions. In spite of this, many Americans joined the party, because they saw in it an opportunity for progress, politically and economically, which did not appear to exist in the older parties. Since the war, however, German-American Socialists have favored Germany as against the United States, and this has caused American members to protest vigorously against the present leadership, and in some cases to leave the party.

Coin Values.

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SITUATIONS—MEN, BOYS

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SALESMAN—Sit. by young, neat, refined, married man with family; age 28; salesman (experienced) or some outdoor work; good education; experienced office man, stenographer; fakes, don't answer, as I want work. H. A. J., 1914 Wagoner pl.; Delmar 3764L. (89)

HEAD WAITER—Sit., and chef, cook; colored. Call Bomont 909W.

WATCHMAN—Sit. by man; night and day watchman; good refs. Box E-75, P.-D. (5)

WATCHMAN—Sit.; night or day; married; age 48; old soldier. Box E-260, Post-Dispatch. (89)

YOUNG MAN—Sit.; married; can run Ford; painter by trade. 3435 Franklin at once, Davis. Lindell 9354.

YOUNG MAN—Sit.; 16 years old; faithful, honest and willing worker; work of any kind. Gutknecht, 2260 Missouri.

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COOK—Sit.; colored; middle-aged; references. Lindell 1316.

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GIRL—Sit.; refined; cook or housegirl. Lindell 5993R.

GIRL—Sit.; neat country girl; plain cooking or cleaning by day; write or call 4018 West Belle.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by young girl to assist with light housework. Rose, Forest 1565.

HOUSEKEEPER—Lady desires position in motherless home. 3329A Washington.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit., in motherless home or bachelor apartment; unincumbered; best reference. Box E-44, Post-Dispatch. (5)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by experienced hotel housekeeper; out of town preferred. Box E-264, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wants position in refined motherless home where two daughters employed may have privilege of boarding or sharing home. Box E-83, Post-Dispatch. (89)

HOUSEWORK—Sit. by neat colored girl; stay on place. Cabany 5960.

LADY—Sit.; by experienced lady; companion or nurse for invalid. Box E-288, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Sit.; collector or demonstrator; also capable of handling position of any kind where one is required to meet the public. Phone Grand 2213M, or Box E-69, Post-D. (6)

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; colored; first-class worker. Call Bomont 1176, Rosa.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; colored; one by day or bundles bring home. Call or write 4239 W. A. North Market.

MAID—Sit. by colored girl; no cooking. Bomont 455W.

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STENOGRAPHER — Sit.; competent stenographer and office assistant; 10 years' experience; $65. Box W-388, Post-Dispatch. (5)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit.; experienced, responsible; can take care of simple bookkeeping and general office work; references. Box W-309, Post-Dispatch. (5)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit.; bookkeeper; reliable business woman, as stenographer and assistant bookkeeper; 10 years' experience; or capable of taking charge of small office and handling correspondence independently. Box E-89, Post-Dispatch. (5)

WIDOW—Sit.; good cook and housekeeper; one girl, 8; more for home than wages. 2306 Eugenia.

WOMAN—Refined competent, seeks position as housekeeper or companion in some strictly first-class home; capable of taking full charge. Box E-267, P.-D. (1)

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ASH HAULER—By the month. St. Luke's Hospital, 5535 Delmar bl. (c)

AUTOMOBILE MECHANIC — First-class; thoroughly experienced, allround man; good wages; steady work. Call 6609 Olive st. rd.

BELT MAKER—State age, and experience. Box B-251, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

BLACKSMITH HELPER—One for carriage and wagon work. 232 N. 7th, East St. Louis. (76)

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BOY—Apply 117 N. Main. (c6)

BOYS—16 years old. 2211 Chestnut. (c5)

BOY—Apply at once, Mendle Printing Co., 801 Lucas. (c)

BOYS—16 years of age to work in machine shop. Box T-225, Post-Dispatch. (c8)

BOY—To run errands. G. R. Schmidt Woolen Mills Co., 902 Washington. (c6)

BOY—For office work; must be 16 years old. Box B-250, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOY—Over 18 years. Commercial Printing Co., 21 S. Ninth. (c)

BOY—To work in flower store. 2716 N. Grand.

BOY—Desires employment after school and evenings. Cabany 8293J. 6011 Suburban.

BOY—To learn the plumber trade. H. Mandel, 1715 Carr. (c)

BOY—To work in drug store. 4068 Shenandoah. (c)

BOY—About 14 years old. Gray-Adams Engineering Co., 1324 Washington. (c)

BOY—To learn pattern making; must be over 16 years old; good job for good boy. Box K-172, Post-Dispatch. (c80)

BOY—14 years or over, for errands and office work. F. Churchill-Whittemore Co., 118 N. 4th st.

BOYS—16 years or over, to work in cloth room. F. C. Riddle & Bros. Casket Co., 1406 Hogan, between Cass and O'Fallon. (c6)

BOYS—Must be over 16 years old. Apply timekeeper Woodward & Tiernan Printing Co., 309 N. 3d. (c)

BOY—Young colored; assist janitor; room and small wages. Apply to janitor, 606 Hamilton.

BOY—To learn plumbing and tinning; fine opportunity for good, willing boy. 4002 Shenandoah. (c7)

BOY—16 to 18 years old, attending high school, who will seek employment, or boy who will graduate this term. Box E-42, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BOY—About 18 years old to work in commissary department; must be honest and willing to work. Apply 2014 Walnut st., ask for Mr. Peters. (c)

BOYS—TO CALL FOR AND DELIVER GASOLINE AND ELECTRIC CARS, MUST BE EXPERIENCED AND BE ABLE TO FURNISH REFERENCES. APPLY WOODS ELECTRIC VEHICLE CO., 439 N. EUCLID.

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BUSSBOY—Planters Hotel Lunch Room, 4th and Pine.

BUTCHER—Good; call 1019 Franklin.

BUTTONMAKERS—Experienced, male or female; both day and evening work. St. Louis Button Co., 415 Lucas. (c7)

CANDY MAKER—Banjo Candy Co., 603 Market. (c)

CHAUFFEURS—FOR TRUCKS—A. MOLL GRO. CO. (c96)

CLERK—Between 18 and 23 years, to assist in figuring costs in manufacturing concern; state experience and salary expected. Box B-233, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

CHAUFFEURS—2, for Ford truck; Webster Groves; apply in person. 27 Gore av. (c5)

COAL SHOVELERS—To unload coal. ST. LOUIS CAR CO., 8000 N. Broadway. (c5)

COAT MAKERS—Three first-class; at once; steady work; 309 N. 10th st. (c5)

COLLECTOR—EXPERIENCED CATHOLIC; MUST BE NEAT-APPEARING GENTLEMAN, WITH FAIR EDUCATION; POSITION WORTH FROM $25 TO $40 PER WEEK; $25 CASH BOND REQUIRED. 1043 SYNDICATE TRUST BLDG. (c)

COMPOSITORS—Printers. Apply 223 N. 3d.

CONDUCTORS—And motormen; experienced; for secret service work on electric railways. Operatives, Box 524, Omaha, Neb. (80)

COOK—Experienced in boarding house; good wages. 2100 N. Broadway.

COOK—Male or female; white or colored; for industrial plant dining room. Box B-286, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

COOK—Lunch room; young man; night work. Call 5:30 p. m. or 10:30 a. m., room 307 Union Station. (c)

CUTTER—Must be experienced on middies and children's dresses and be able to handle Universan Straight Knife machine. Morganstern Garment Co., 615 N. 9th st., 6th floor. (c)

DISHWASHER—Man. 2100 N. Broadway.

DISHWASHER—Apply Melton, 1722 Washington. (c)

DRAFTSMAN—With machine design experience; give full details and references. LIBERTY SYSTEMS CORPORATION, Edwardsville, Ill. (c7)

DRAFTSMAN—Tracing clerk for mechanical drawing; apply 4250 N. 20th. Robinson Fire Apparatus (c)

DRAFTSMEN—Good openings for beginners; state age and salary and where last employed. LIBERTY SYSTEMS CORPORATION, Edwardsville, Ill. (c7)

DRIVERS—EXPERIENCED. A. MOLL GRO. CO. (c96)

DRUG CLERK—Registered; must be a hustler; references. 4101 Olive. (6)

DRUGGIST—Registered; good wages, good position. Grand-Laclede Drug Store, Grand and Laclede.

DRUG CLERKS—Two; experienced, reliable; good pay; live Illinois town, 90 miles St. Louis. See Hayes, Hotel Annex or Doherty at Merrell Drug Co.

DRUGGIST—Registered, experienced man only. Grand and Franklin.

ENGINEER—Day; must be licensed, and have experience. Apply Jewish Hospital, 5415 Delmar bl. (c7)

ENGINEER—Stationary, in a large industrial plant, out of the city; one experienced with air compressors, turbine preferred. Box B-253, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

ENGINEER—Competent, to look after dairy machinery, including refrigerator; town close to St. Louis; state experience. Address Ruebel & Wells C. E. Co., 1420 Chemical Bldg. (c96)

ERRAND BOY—White, over 16 years; $6 to start; light work; permanent. Ross-Gould, 309 N. 10th. (c5)

FIREMAN—Stationary. Apply to engineer, 803 Washington. (c)

FIREMEN—(Fire protection) For the Panama Canal. Must have had one year's experience in paid fire department in city of not less than 15,000 inhabitants; salary $110 month during first year and $130 thereafter if services and conduct prove satisfactory, with free steamship transportation from New York or New Orleans to isthmus; must be American citizens (final papers), under 40 years, in good health. Write "Chief of Office, The Panama Canal, Washington, D. C." (c36)

GROCERY CLERK—Good. 3501 Laclede.

GROCERY CLERK—Experienced, and solicitor. P. O. Box 267, Webster Groves. (c5)

GROCERY CLERK—Experienced; to a first-class man a good position is offered. Public Market, 5656 Easton. (c)

GROCERY CLERK—Must be experienced and have references; good salary. Apply at once. F. H. Furst & Son, cor. Blair and Madison. (5)

HELPER—On Harris offset litho. press. Stephens Litho. Co., 2d and Vine sts.

HOUSEMAN—Or janitor; at once. 3672 Russell. Geraldine Apartments. (c)

ICE WAGON DRIVERS—Apply at once, Polar Wave Ice and Fuel Co., 6105 Bartmer. (c)

JEWELRY JOBBER—Apply Hasenjaeger Bros. Jewelry Mfg. Co., 415 Holland Bldg. (5)

JEWELER—Also repairer. Moritz Jewelry and Mfg. Co., Columbia Bldg., 8th and Locust. (c5)

JEWELRY POLISHER—With about 2 years' experience. Apply Hasenjaeger Bros. Jewelry Mfg. Co., 415 Holland Bldg. (5)

KITCHEN MAN—Colored. Apply Usona Hotel, King's highway and Waterman. (c)

LABORERS—Steady work year round; for good men; take Bellefontaine car south to end of line. Provident Chemical Works, 8011 Idaho. (c6)

LABORERS—For work in cold storage warehouse; steady position to good men; 25c to 30c per hour. Ask for Pelican, St. Louis Refrigerating and Cold Storage Co., Lewis and O'Fallon. (c6)

LEATHER WORKERS—Experienced on light leather work; belts, puttee leggings, etc.; steady employment, good pay. Railroad fare refunded if service satisfactory. Dodson Saddlery Co., Dallas, Tex. (c6)

LUMBER PILERS—Apply 2d and Palm sts. Columbia Box Co. lumber yard. (c7)

LUMBER PILERS—Apply 148 Carroll. (c8)

MACHINISTS—Two, allround. Call, phone or write Haskett Machine and Engine Co., Alton, Ill. (c5)

MACHINIST—Good, allround, steady and sober; state age and last employers. Box E-111, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MACHINISTS—Eight hours, 60 cents per hour. Apply employment department, Commonwealth Steel Co., Granite City, Ill. (c8)

MACHINISTS—Automobile or railroad; must be efficient, sober men, capable of holding position where merit is followed by promotion; good wages, work year round; no triflers; show age, whether married and past employments. Box E-112, Post-Dis. (7)

MAN—Who can drive nails fast; wages $13.65 per week. Factory, 5927 Kennerly.

MAN—Experienced in soldering; steady and fast worker. 1531 Pine. (c)

MAN—Colored; and wife to take care of furnace for use of furnished basement room. 4418 Delmar.

MAN—AUTO SCREW MACHINE MAN FOR OPERATING AND SETTING UP BROWN & SHARPE OR CLEVELAND AUTOMATIC SCREW MACHINES. APPLY 9:30 A. M., 2024 WASHINGTON AV., THE EMERSON ELECTRIC MFG. CO. (c7)

MEATCUTTER—Experienced; no other need apply. 5653 Delmar. (c6)

MEN—Mengel Box Co., Folsom and Lawrence. (c8)

MEN—Two men or young men, to sell goods on trains. Apply 1621 Clark av. (c8)

MEN—Experienced for garage work who can drive all makes of machines for day and night work. Box B-150, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

MILLWRIGHT—And oiler. St. Louis Car Co. Automobile Plant. 5200 N. 2d. (c6)

MILLWRIGHTS—Two, for out-of-town; large manufacturing concern; state age and experience; good salary. Box E-110, Post-Dis.

OFFICE BOY—Over 16 years old; writes good hand. Box B-140, Post-Dis. (c6)

OFFICE BOY—$25 per month. A. H. Wobbe, 1519 Syndicate Trust Bldg.

OPERATOR—For Gridley automatic. St. Louis Car Co. Automobile Plant. 5200 N. 2d. (c6)

BURROUGHS ADDING MACHINE OPERATOR—Experienced; state age, amount and nature of training; also salary expected; must be rapid and accurate. Box K-39, Post-Dispatch.

PHARMACIST—Registered; small Illinois town; short hours; good wages. Box E-5, Post-Dispatch. (5)

PLUMBERS—And plumbers helpers. H. Mandel, 1715 Carr. (c)

PLUMBERS—First-class, wages $5.60 per day, 8 hours; no labor troubles; no city examinations; transportation refunded if man proves reliable. Reynolds Heating and Plumbing Co., Miami, Ok. (c7)

PORTER—For garage; must be able to fire down-draft boiler. Box B-149, Post-Dis.

PORTER—Wholesale grocery. Amos-James Gro. Co., 622 N. 3d. (c)

PORTER—Colored; $45 month. 17th floor, Syndicate Trust Bldg. Mr. Hines.

PORTER—Young man as porter in office; must be willing to make himself generally useful and clean windows; commence at $12 per week. Box K-29, Post-Dispatch. (c6)

PRESS FEEDER—Lithograph. Stephens Litho. Co., 2d and Vine sts.

PRESS FEEDER—Job; who can make ready preferred; good pay; steady. 4548 Cote Brilliante. (96)

PRINTER—Good all around man; $20 week to right party. Box B-254, P.-D. (c6)

RADIATOR MAN—Expert; don't apply unless you are good. Haines, 4624 Delmar. (c)

SALES PROMOTION MEN WANTED—BY MANUFACTURER OF NATIONALLY KNOWN HIGH-CLASS BUILDING EQUIPMENT TO ENTER CLASS FOR TECHNICAL ROAD TRAINING AND QUALIFY FOR REGULAR SALES POSITIONS. PAY BEGINS IMMEDIATELY. OFFER EXCELLENT ADVANCEMENT FOR MEN OF GOOD EDUCATION, NOT SUBJECT TO MILITARY SERVICE. GIVE REFERENCES AND WRITE FOR FULL PARTICULARS TO IRON, BOX J-116, POST-DISPATCH. (c95)

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

SENIOR BANK MAN—Thoroughly trained, capable of doing teller work. In your reply please advise age, whether married or single, and a general account of your experience. Box K-38, Post-Dispatch.

SHOEMAKER—Steady work; call at once, 1420 Chouteau. Central 8861R. (c)

SUIT CASE MAKERS—Two. Excelsior Trunk Co., Kansas City, Mo. (c5)

STENOGRAPHER—With some experience in handling correspondence and sales work by large manufacturing company. Box B-152, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

STENOGRAPHER—Competent sales manager; high school education; familiar with office details; electrical experience preferred. Box B-247, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

SUPERINTENDENT—Competent, coal mine, for Illinois field; state experience. Box K-406, Post-Dispatch. (c96)

SWITCHMEN—Several, experienced, for special work; must be reliable and have good references; state age and experience; good salary. Box B-122, Post-Dispatch. (c)

TOOL AND DIE WORKERS—First-class; also allround mechanics. Apply 12th and Tyler. (c8)

TOOL AND DIE MAKERS
NEW STANDARD ADDING MACHINE CO., 3701 Forest Park bl. (6)

TOOL ROOM FOREMAN
Must be thoroughly experienced on high-grade tool work. Give age, experience and reference in first letter. Box J-118, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

TRACER—Young man to trace engineering drawings; recent high school graduate preferred; give age, education, experience, if any, and salary expected. Box B-144, P.-D.

TROUSERS MAKERS—First-class. Wm. E. Terrell Tailoring Co., 304-305 Globe-Democrat Bldg. (c)

TYPE DISTRIBUTOR—Man; distribute job type. Stephens Litho. and Eng. Co., 2d and Vine.

YOUNG MAN—To operate elevator; references required. 1004 Olive st. (c)

YOUNG MAN—For packing room; experienced preferred. Amos-James Wholesale Gro. Co., 622 N. 3d. (c)

YOUNG MAN—Must have references. Consumers Grocery and Meat Co., 9th and Market. (c8)

YOUNG MAN—For gasoline station; must be able to give bond and references. Box B-151, Post-Dispatch. (c)

YOUNG MEN—To work in stock; must be over 16; good chance for right party. A. Schwartz, 1428 Washington. (c)

YOUNG MAN—For stock room; experience not necessary; state age and salary expected. Box B-145, Post-Dispatch. (c)

YOUNG MAN—To manage news stand; cash deposit required; references required; good chance for advancement. Apply at 2009 Eugenia st. (c5)

YOUNG MAN—Single, not over 22 years old, to attend automobile filling station, willing to work 7 days in the week and commence at $12 per week. Must give satisfactory references. Advancement to the right party. Apply Automobile Gasoline Co., 4605 Washington bl. (c8)

YOUNG MAN—To assist factory manager in paper box factory and fiber container plant; one who is ambitious and a hustler; that can be a leader and handle help; must have some mechanical ideas and acquaint himself with all the machinery in plant; experienced man preferred; this is the right position for the right man. Answer in own handwriting, state age, salary expected and what experience if any; new clean factory; 9-hour working day. (Strictly confidential.) Box X-169, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

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CUTTER—Experienced lining and trimming. John Meier Shoe Co., 711 N. 4th. (c7)

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EDGE BRUSHER—And allround finisher. Apply McElroy & Sloan Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (c7)

HAND CUTTER—Experienced. Apply Hoerr-Adam Shoe Co., Belleville, Ill. (c)

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CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS

SOLICITORS—And canvassers, for household goods, on easy payment plan; good proposition; call and see us. C. F. Adams Co., 817A Locust. (c8)

CANVASSERS WANTED
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EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES AND TRADE SCHOOLS

RAILROAD TRAFFIC INSPECTORS—$125 a month and expenses to start; short hours, travel; 3 months' home study under guarantee; we arrange for position; no age limit; ask for booklet F-4. Frontier Prep. School, Buffalo, N. Y. (c93)

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SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMAN—Experienced for electrical supply house; state age, references and previous record. Box K-37, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

SALESMEN—To sell lots to colored people. Call 10 to 2. McArthur, 1401 Boatmen's Bank Bldg. (c8)

SALESMAN—By St. Louis manufacturing concern; high-grade salesman; give age, present employer and present salary; applicant not considered otherwise. Box B-139, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

SALESMEN—For Illinois and Missouri territories; commission basis; if you are a high-class $100 per week specialty salesman, it will pay you to see E. C. Lawrence at the American Hotel, Friday or Saturday. (5)

SALESMEN—Experienced or inexperienced, city or traveling; send for our free book, "A Knight of the Grip," and list of openings; immediate employment service rendered members. Address Natl. Salesmen's Tr. Assn., 332 S. Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill. (8)

SALESMAN—House to house work; monthly payment plan, St. Louis; two household necessities; the most modern and complete made; commissions from 20 cents to $26 each sale; both articles in use by dozens of prominent St. Louisans; exclusive territory and opportunity for advancement. Call between 2 and 4, 402 Fullerton bldg. (c7)

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WE distribute staple lines to exclusive jobbing trade; principally wholesale grocer trade; we want men with earning capacity of $2400 year and upwards; salary basis; territories require minimum amount of traveling; this is excellent opportunity for biscuit, soap, tobacco, flour, match men, etc., who have reached their limit. Box B-137, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

SALESMEN
House of international reputation needs three salesmen for city and out-of-town territory; drawing account. Box K-170, P.-D. (c5)

SALESMEN
The Encyclopedia Britannica needs three salesmen to call on leads and to work in stores where we have displays; drawing account against commissions.
H. V. MOONEY, 204 Pierce Bldg. (c5)

SALESMAN
Opportunity for energetic salesman with car, experienced in selling in the home, to make $2000, $2500 or more per year; must be neat and of pleasing personality; liberal drawing account to right man. Ask for sales manager, 608 Title Guaranty Bldg. (c5)

SALESMEN—Experienced stock, by corporation, manufacturing new automatic office accounting machine; must be business-getters; to such men, unlimited opportunities; write for appointment. Box J-117, Post-Dispatch. (c82)

HELP WTD.—MISCELLANEOUS

MAN AND WIFE—Wife to work in exchange for husband's room and board. Phone Lindell 5358. 3706 West Pine.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

BAG SEWERS—Experienced cotton and burlap; highest wages ever paid; free car fare; Saturday half holiday. Fulton Bag and Cotton Mills, 612 S. 7th st.

BOOKKEEPER—Thoroughly trained in the use of the Burroughs posting machine. Good salary to start. Give full particulars. Box K-43, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Wholesale house has opening for young lady experienced in customers' ledger work; must be capable; good salary. Apply, stating age, experience, etc. Box K-40, Post-Dispatch.

BUNDLE WRAPPERS—Over 16 years of age. Kline's, 609 Washington.

BUTTONMAKERS—Experienced, male or female; both day and evening work. St. Louis Button Co., 415 Lucas.

CASHIER—Young lady. Apply P. O. Box [illegible], Webster Groves.

CASH GIRLS—Ten. Apply at once, s. w. cor. Broadway and Franklin.

CHAMBERMAIDS—Experienced for family hotel. Apply Buckingham Annex Hotel, King's Highway and West Pine.

CHORUS GIRLS
For tabloid show; good salary. Inquire for MRS. LEE, Brevort Hotel. Call 12 to 2, 5 to 7.

COOK—And maid for short distance in the country. Call Olive 3019.

COOK—In boarding house; come ready for work. 1817 La Salle.

COOK—Experienced, colored; first-floor work; references. 4440 Maryland.

DEMONSTRATOR—Unincumbered lady; to travel; references required; salary and expenses; nationally advertised necessity. Ralston Purina Mills, 8th and Gratiot.

DICTAPHONE OPERATOR—By large manufacturing company in North St. Louis; state experience and phone number. Box B-148, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKERS—Piece and day work; steady work. Come ready to work. 704 Washington av., 5th floor.

FOLDERS—3 girls, experienced in folding circulars; good pay. 300 N. Main.

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GIRL—For general housework; good wages; small family. 5075 Von Versen.

GIRLS—18 years of age. Apply Missouri Can Co., Hall and Branch.

GIRLS—Several; neat. Winter Bros. Engraving Co., 509 N. Broadway, 6th floor.

GIRLS—To pack crackers and cakes. Union Biscuit Co., 6th and Carr.

GIRLS—Several under 16. Union Biscuit Co., 6th and Carr.

GIRL—To work in restaurant; $6 week. 1807 Franklin av.

GIRL—For general housework; no laundry or outside work; $25. 3815 Castleman.

GIRLS—To learn waitress work. Apply 10:30 a. m., Room 307, Union Station.

GIRLS—Two, experienced. Almanac Hotel cigar stand, 14th and Chestnut sts.

GIRL—About 18; general office work; $8 week. Box E-268, Post-Dispatch.

GIRLS—Experienced for covering machines. Apply Central Paper Box Co., 2106 Walnut.

GIRLS—Experienced lamp shade and drapery girls. Apply Marx & Jones, 316 N. 8th.

GIRL—Colored, for few hours' day housework; good pay. 4414 Delmar bl.

GIRLS—Light, attractive work; steady employment. Standard Pencil Co., 1822 Locust st.

GIRL—For house and dining room work. City references required; $25 a month. Forest 211. 5251 Westminster.

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GIRL—Good; for general housework; no washing; good wages. 1926 Louisiana.

GIRLS—Two; good at figuring. Apply at once. Star Clothing Co., 1013 Washington, 1st floor.

GIRL—To operate private switchboard and do stenographic work. Box K-90, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL—General housework, family of 2; references; no laundry. 10 N. King's highway, Apt. 8. Forest 7686.

GIRLS—For laboratory work; good pay. Call Sanitol Chemical Laboratory Co., Boyle and Laclede.

GIRL—Neat; experienced general housework; no washing; home nights. 5331 Cleveland.

GIRLS—3; to fold circulars at once. Star Clothing Co., 1013 Washington, first floor.

GIRL—For general housework; no objection to teaching a young girl; good home and fair salary. 4222 Lafayette.

GIRL—To check orders; must be steady; salary $8. Apply 310 Vine st., Saturday morning.

GIRL—Experienced; must be accurate and good worker; $7 week. Jordan Grocery, 2661 Olive.

GIRL—For cooking and housework. 1212 Hamilton, Apartment M; or phone Cabany 4305.

GIRL—Good; for general housework; no washing; good wages. 1276 Amherst pl., 5900 West, between Page and Julian.

GIRLS—Bright, to learn to make ladies' straw hats; $7 to start; fine-paying trade; also girls for other departments. S. Cohen Hat Co., 19th and Carr.

GIRL—White, for general housework in apartment, family of 2; no washing or outside work. 5649 Cates, or phone Cabany 564.

GIRL—About 20 years of age to shake and fold linens; wages $1.44 per day; no experience necessary. Apply C. A. Lange Co., 2004 S. Jefferson.

GIRL—Or woman to help in kitchen; boarding house; good wages, board and room; come ready for work. 7800 N. Broadway.

GIRLS—Young ladies to line and trim ladies' ready-to-wear hats. Apply Manufacturing Dept., King, Brinsmade Merc. Co., 17th and Washington.

GIRLS—16 years or older, to work in factory putting up food products; steady employment; favorable working conditions. Apply 412 S. 7th st.

GIRL—To cook and assist with housework where housemaid is kept; references. Phone Forest 3476; family of three, 4414 West Pine.

GIRL—15 or 16; tend small store; answer phone, etc.; with plenty of time to do sewing, or other work during working hours. 5383 Easton, Delmar 778R.

GIRLS—25, to learn to sew ladies' straw hats; teach you free and pay well while learning; experienced girls make $15 to $25 week. Ziegler-Frankel Mfg. Co., 1408 Locust, 5th floor.

GIRLS—Over 16 years of age, for labeling and light manufacturing work; ideal working conditions; good wages; steady positions; opportunity for advancement. John T. Milliken & Co., 3d and Cedar.

GIRLS—Over 16 years of age, who are desirous to work in sanitary factory for handling and wrapping absorbent cotton; good wages, steady employment. Apply corner 3d and Plum sts. John T. Milliken & Co. Absorbent Cotton Plant.

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Over 16, for cashiers and office work. SCHAPER'S STORE, 6th and Washington.

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GRADUATE NURSE—Middle-aged; for factory work in city; give age, address and where last employed. Box B-134, Post-Dis.

HAND SEWERS—Experienced; will give week work; pay $6 week to start. Apply Droischman Garment Co., 1019 Washington, 4th floor.

HAT TRIMMERS—On soft hats. Lucas Hat Works, 613 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL—Do general housework. Blair. Central 3572.

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; no washing; no babies. Delmar 3222[illegible].

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; no laundry; two in family; must have references. 3936 Castleman av. Grand 4630.

HOUSEGIRL—General housework; experienced, white; no washing; references. Bartmer.

HOUSEGIRL—APARTMENT; 3 IN FAMILY; NO WASHING; references; good wages. 5671 Waterman, 1st floor. Cabany 4054.

HOUSEGIRL—Elderly German, for general housework and assist in cooking; $5 week. 3624 Cleveland.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

HOUSEGIRL—Young, to assist in general housework; references. 3225 Longfellow. (6)

HOUSEKEEPER—General housework; white; no washing or ironing. 4601A Easton. (c)

JOB PRESS FEEDER—8 hours day; $11 per week; man or woman. Mendle Printing Co., 801 Lucas. (c)

LADY—To operate Underwood billing machine. Apply Box B-249, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LADY CLERK—And stenographer who is notary; good salary, steady employment. Box E-8, Post-Dispatch. (5)

LAUNDRESS—White or colored. 622 Bates.

LAUNDRESS—Take washing home. 3862 Finney.

LAUNDRESS—White, for Monday; steady position. Grand 3394R between 5 and 6. (c)

LAUNDRESSES—Lady clothes ironers, hand washers to wash woolen silks, etc.; girls to learn laundry work; best pay. Anderson's Family Laundry, 4939 McPherson.

MAID—For general housework; colored; for apartment. 1127 Union. (c)

MAID—Colored, willing worker, neat; general housework; good wages. 4606A Delmar.

MILLINERS—Those with experience making ladies' hats preferred. Apply Mr. Elson, 7th floor, King-Brinsmade Merc. Co. (c5)

NURSE—Reliable white; for 5-year old boy and light upstairs work. 5363 Waterman. Forest 2453.

OPERATORS—Those with experience making ladies' hats preferred. Apply Mr. Elson, 7th floor, King-Brinsmade Mercantile Co. (c5)

OPERATORS—Experienced on middies and children's dresses; guarantee steady work and best pay; can also use a few learners. Morganstern Garment Co., 615 N. 9th st., 6th floor.

BURROUGHS ADDING MACHINE OPERATOR—Experienced; state age, amount and nature of training; also salary expected; must be rapid and accurate. Box K-39, Post-Dispatch.

OPERATORS — Experienced on power machines, to work on women's headwear. E. W. MAGEE MFG. CO., 1214 Mississippi. (c7)

OVERALL AND COAT MAKERS—100. RED DIAMOND CLOTHING CO., 18th and Pine Sts. (c2)

PANTRY GIRL—Planters Hotel Lunch Room, 4th and Pine.

PRESSERS—Experienced girls on women's garments; good pay, steady work. Scott Dyeing and Cleaning Co., 3829 Olive. (c7)

SKIRT EXAMINER—Must be experienced; steady work. Gross-Freedman Skirt Co., 803 Washington. (c)

SKIRT MAKERS—Experienced; steady work, good pay. Come at once. Schiffman Garment Co., 803 Washington, 5th floor. (c)

SKIRT OPERATORS—Experienced; steady work; good pay; new machines; very interesting proposition; apply Mr. Fixel, Kopolowitz-Fixel Garment Co., 612 N. 11th, 6th floor. (c6)

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FOR SALE

OVERCOAT—For sale; heavy, size 40 to 42. $5. 3660 Arsenal.

OVERCOAT—For sale, fine, heavy, dark; size 42; $10. 2728 Miami st.

OVERCOAT—For sale, fine; never worn; breast 37; cost $40. Room 216 Victoria Bldg.

SUIT—For sale, lady's, beautiful brown serge; size 36; black velvet hat, shoes and dresses of child 6 years old. Cabany 2136.

EXCHANGE

TYPEWRITER Wtd.—Trade small piece of land; good trade. Box E-287, Post-Dis.

GOLD AND SILVER

BEST price paid for old gold and silver. Aldore Jewelry Co., 213 N. 14th. (c60)

HIGHEST price paid for jewelry; old false teeth, $3 to $10; Victrolas and kodaks. Miller, 703½ Market st. Phone Olive 3038. (8)

BEST cash price old gold, silver, platinum, Victrolas, records, musical instruments. H. Miller, 3 N. Broadway (no branch stores); our auto will come. Cent. 3275, Olive 5471. (8)

CASH paid old gold, silver, platinum, diamonds, old false teeth, with or without gold. S. Smith & Co., 513 N. Grand, opp. Metropolitan Bldg. Lindell 1720. (c15)

CASH paid for old gold, silver, platinum; up to $20 for old false teeth; money loaned on diamonds, jewelry, watches, records, Victrolas; or bought outright. Call Olive 1243 and I will call. Miller's, 1322 Olive st. (c8)

DIAMONDS for old gold and silver. We will accept your old gold jewelry at 25 per cent above market price and apply entire amount on purchase of a diamond; pay balance monthly. LOFTIS BROS. & CO., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st. Open every evening. (c8)

JEWELRY—WATCHES

I PAY 10 to 50 per cent diamond pledges. 1626A Olive st. Central 8479L. (6)

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY ON CREDIT. On CREDIT. All broken lines in diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, etc. on sale at clearance prices. Now is the time to buy a handsome diamond ring, stud, ear screws, brooch, la valliere, pendant, bracelet, watch, chain, charm, etc. LOFTIS BROS. & CO., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st. Open every evening. (c8)

SEWING MACHINES

SEWING MACHINE—For sale, dark oak drophead, $7.50; guaranteed; come and see them at 1716 Franklin. Olive 2120. (c7)

STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES

WANTED

DESK Wtd.—Large roller top desk; oak, must be in fairly good condition; state lowest cash price; general condition and where same can be seen. Box X-353, Post-Dispatch. (c80)

FOR SALE

DENTAL OFFICE OUTFIT—For sale, complete, cheap. Phone Colfax 1840. (7)

We Make and Sell Only

National Cash Registers and Credit Files

Lowest prices. Small monthly payments. No interest charges. Written guarantee. Old registers repaired, rebuilt, bought, sold and exchanged. F. R. JENNINGS, Agent, The National Cash Register Company, 1011 Olive Street. Phones: Olive 2770 & Kin. Cen. 3125 (c80)

TYPEWRITERS

DICTAPHONE—One, with complete appliances, including shaving machine and 22 cylinders; good as new. CHASE BAG CO., 18 N. Main. (c7)

TYPEWRITERS—Selling all makes, complete line; repairs, rentals. Union Typewriter Exchange, 111 N. 9th st. (c36)

UNDERWOOD, Oliver, Smith, Remington typewriters, $25 to $60; rentals 3 months, $5 upward. St. Louis Typewriter Exchange, 211 N. 10th st. Main 1162, Central 4889. (8)

TYPEWRITERS RENTED. Visible models, 3 months, $7.50; nonvisibles, 3 months, $5; initial payment applies if purchased. AMERICAN WRITING MACHINE CO., Main 4413, Central 1215. 807 Pine. (c80)

AUTOMOBILES

Solid agate, 15c line, minimum 30c. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

FOR HIRE

FOR HIRE—Fords, touring, sedans, trucks, $1, $1.25. Forest 7446; Delmar 618. (8)

FOR HIRE—Luxurious 1917 limousine and touring car, $2 per hour. Forest 7225. (c8)

FOR HIRE—One-ton truck, by day. Tyler 1615. (8)

FOR HIRE—Ford limousine, $1.25. King's Highway Service. Forest 537, Delmar 537. (6)

FOR HIRE—Delivery trucks, any capacity; by the trip, hour or day. Commercial Service Co., Central 2508, Olive 2309. (c6)

FOR HIRE—7-passenger sedans, $2 per hour; short trips; rates reasonable. Cabany 1170. (4)

AUTO TRUCKS FOR HIRE

Gunn Transfer Co., 17th and Walnut sts. Olive 81, Central 773. (c80)

WANTED

AUTO TRUCK Wtd.—In exchange for electric and upright piano. T. Schultz, 3405 Gravois. Sidney 1966. (c89)

AUTOS Wtd.—Any condition, pay cash. Twin-X Auto Salvage Co., Central 8354L. (c8)

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—Exchange my Detroit Electric, Edison battery, for good gasoline car; what have you? Box E-289, Post-Dispatch. (96)

BODIES Wtd.—1915, 1916 and 1917 Ford touring and roadster bodies. John Tobinka, 1406 N. 7th st. Central 5886, Tyler 1277. (c8)

FORD Wtd.—Pay cash. 1906 Chestnut. (c8)

FORD TOURING CAR BODY Wtd.—Call Hanley 298R.

FORD Wtd.—Roadster, 1917 or 1918 model, for a salesman; must be in good condition for a bargain. Call Olive 3719. (c5)

MONEY loaned on automobiles, no mortgage. Auto Auction Co., 1210 Olive. (c8)

PRIVATE party will make loans on 1917 autos, in good condition; reasonable rates. Box K-282, Post-Dispatch. (c2)

REPAIRING, ETC.

ATTENTION FORD OWNERS. Fords completely overhauled in your own garage for $15; we specialize in repair work at very reasonable rates; quick and guaranteed service. Phone Lindell 5763 and give us a trial. DELMAR AUTO REPAIR CO., 3727 Olive. (c7)

COUPES

CHANDLER—For sale, 1917, chummy coupe; practically a new car; decided bargain. Cabany 2133. (5)

CHALMERS—For sale, coupe, 1915. Address me at Box number and I will call and show you this wonderful bargain. Box E-308, Post-Dispatch.

HUPMOBILE—For sale, coupe, in first-class condition; self-starter and electric lights; a bargain at $300; must sell at once, party leaving town. Alfred Silverman, 2625A Indiana. (c8)

IF YOU want to buy a 1914 Paige coupe in A1 shape for $300, address me at Box number and I will bring the car to your door for a demonstration. Box E-294, Post-Dispatch.

LIMOUSINES

REO—For sale, 6-cylinder, has a $300 glass limousine top; big bargain; run 1600 miles. Telephone Cabany 4056. (7)

ROADSTERS

CHUMMY ROADSTER—For sale, 1917; demonstrator; great reduction. 3314 Pine st. Central 5327.

FORD—For sale, roadster, late model; excellent condition. 2823 Locust. (c6)

FORD—For sale, roadster, 1916 model. L. J. Mueller Furnace Co., 1409 Olive. (c6)

OVERLAND—For sale, roadster, model 75; will sacrifice; mechanical condition perfect; tires and paint good; a demonstration will convince. Box K-344, Post-Dispatch. (c)

TOURING CARS

CHEVROLET—For sale, touring, 1916; electric lights and starter; new tires; repainted; cheap. 3314 Pine. Central 5327.

FORD—For sale; touring car; good condition; cheap. 2717 N. 14th st. (96)

FORD TOURING CAR—For sale, 1917 model; nearly new; bargain. 2326 Market. (c8)

FORDS—New touring cars, $125 down, $25 monthly; immediate delivery; call 1 to 5 p. m. Wessel, 1139 Syndicate Trust. (c5)

FORD—For sale, 1917; best offer takes it; good condition. 5716 Westminster pl., first apartment. (80)

HUDSON—For sale, 7-passenger light six, 1915 model car; looks and runs like new; $800; terms. See Mr. Farrell, 3342 Olive, corner Channing. Bomont 3075. (c7)

MAXWELL—For sale, touring, 1917; used 3 months; cheap. 3314 Pine. Central 5327.

PACKARD—For sale, 7-passenger; newly painted; cheap; terms. 3314 Pine. Central 5327.

REO—For sale, 5-passenger, 6-cyl., 5 rough-tread tires, 1916 model car; looks and runs like new; $700; terms. See Mr. Farrell, 3342 Olive, corner Channing. Bomont 3075. (c7)

STUDEBAKER—For sale, 7-passenger, 4-cylinder, 1917 model, overhauled and repainted; $675; terms. See Mr. Farrell, 3342 Olive, corner Channing. Bomont 3075. (c7)

STUDEBAKER—For sale, 7-passenger, with winter body, 1917 model; cost new $1690; bargain at $1000; terms. See Mr. Farrell, 3342 Olive, corner Channing. Bomont 3075. (c7)

$1250 BUYS my 1915 Locomobile touring car. See this car before you decide. Address me Box K-145, Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE a 1916 Dodge touring car with a winter and summer top that I will sell cheap if a buyer can be found this week. Will demonstrate. Box K-70, Post-Dispatch.

SOMEBODY in the city wants my 6-30 1916 Chalmers touring car, with summer and winter top. I will sell cheap to a real quick buyer. See it. Phone Lindell 1999. (c)

WILL sacrifice 1917 Hudson Super Six, only run 3200 miles and is like new in every respect; will demonstrate. Box K-88, Post-Dispatch. (c)

TRUCKS

FORD TRUCK—For sale, 1917 model; nearly new; snap. 2326 Market st. (c8)

FORD TRUCK—For sale; new, and 1918 business body; 40 styles; liberal partial payment plan. Bailey, 2113 Olive st. (c56)

FORD TRUCKS—For sale; new worm-drive ton trucks also Ford delivery wagons of ½-ton capacity; unexcelled service. We are Ford dealers; 12 months' time to pay. Box B-242, Post-Dispatch. (c8)

PACKARD—For sale, truck, good as new. Apply Horan Express, 5375 Easton. (c8)

TRUCK—For sale, 1½-ton, slightly used; high grade. Box B-278, Post-Dis. (7)

USED TRUCKS

Several makes and sizes; low prices; also rebuilt Dorris chassis. DORRIS MOTOR CAR CO., 4100 Laclede. (c8)

WHEN YOU WANT A TRUCK

Any standard make, any capacity; consult the Truck Dept. Used Car Exchange Co. 1801 Pine St.

MISCELLANEOUS

FORD—For sale, 1917, like new, $290. 3314 Pine. Central 5327.

SCRIPPS-BOOTH—For sale, winter top; cheap. Tyler 1084R.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of bargains in used cars, including 3 Buicks, 2 Hupmobiles, 4 Studebakers, Paige, Reo, Empire, Maxwell, 3 Haynes and a National, at prices absurdly low. See Mr. Farrell, 3342 Olive, corner Channing. Bomont 3075. (c7)

USED DORRIS CARS

Rebuilt Dorris cars; other makes; in first-class condition, $350 up. DORRIS MOTOR CAR CO., 4100 Laclede. (c8)

ACCESSORIES, PARTS, ETC.

FORD BODIES—For sale, used 1917 touring and roadster. John Tobinka, 1406 N. 7th. (c15)

FORD BODIES—For sale, tourings, roadsters, sedans, coupes, new and used. 2326 Market st. (c8)

FORD TRUCK BODIES—For sale; 20 styles; your old body taken in trade. 1900 Chestnut st. (c8)

FORD BODY—For sale; used 1917 tourings and roadsters; also used delivery bodies, at very low prices. 411 N. 2d st. (c8)

SEDAN BODY—We have for immediate delivery 1 sedan body, suitable for series 5, 6, 7 and 8 Franklin chassis. Wm. Young Carriage Co., 4524 Delmar bl. (c73)

STORAGE BATTERIES bought and sold; recharging and repairing. 4973 Easton. (7)

TIRES—For sale, three; two 34x4, one 35x4, brand-new. 1217 N. 8th. (c)

TIRES BOUGHT—Will buy your old tires if in serviceable condition; pay top prices. Universal Tire Co., 3216 Locust st. (c8)

TIRE SALE—Seconds; standard make; also vulcanized tires; selling for charges; also tires taken off wrecked cars at very low prices. Universal Tire Co., 3216 Locust. (c8)

TIRE—For sale, 34x4, with inner tube and rim; 4 extra inner tubes, 34x4; 1 radiator cover, Hudson car; 1 tire cover, 34x4; 2 skid chains, 35x4½; 1 Lee tire, 35x4½, with inner tubes and rims; complete, new; will sell above very cheap. Box B-147, Post-Dispatch. (c)

AUTOMOBILES

ACCESSORIES, PARTS, ETC.

WINTER TOPS—For sale; for Fords. John Tobinka, 1406 N. 7th st. Central 5886, Tyler 1277. (c8)

WILL sell a formula for making auto radiator absolutely non-freezing liquid to a competent party. Call Central 6189 for interview. (c)

WARM YOUR AUTOMOBILE With the engine exhaust; weather limousine, coupe or curtained top; register set in body bottom; installed complete, $4. Wells Furnace and Supply Co., 1522 Olive st. (c60)

SAFES

SAFES—New and secondhand. John Bauman Safe Co., 4th and St. Charles. (c8)

SAFES—Diebold & Hall; fire and burglar proof; vault doors and wall safes; largest dealers in the United States. Howe Scale Co., 409 N. 4th st. (c8)

HORSES AND VEHICLES

WANTED

HORSES Wtd.—10 acres of land to trade for team. 1214 Syndicate Trust Bldg. W. Roark, Olive 1038, Central 1038. (c)

FOR SALE

HARNESS—For sale, six sets used double harness, 10 single, from $5 up; collars, all sizes, $1 up. 2011 Biddle st. Zimmerman. (c7)

HORSE—For sale, heavy; mare, spring truck, ice and coal wagon. 3201 Cherokee.

HORSE—For sale; good; cheap. Aviston Condensed Milk Co., 1127 Clark. (c5)

MARES—For sale; 15 young; horses, several teams, wagons, buggies, harness. 4221 Easton. (60)

MULES—For sale, 16 good, young, and 6 good, young horses. 4223 Hunt av. (c8)

MULES—For sale, team of mules, harness, farm wagon; cheap; horse. 1921 Morgan.

MULES—For sale, city stables; 10 mules, 4 horses; cheap. 315 Chouteau.

MULES—For sale; team; weight 2300; $60. Drafted. 2224 Gravois.

MULES—For sale, 4 old, cheap, suitable for any light work. Hydraulic Press Brick Co., King's highway and McRee av. (c56)

MACHINERY

WANTED

BOILER Wtd.—Horizontal tubular, 150 to 175 horsepower boiler, good for 150 pounds; also 250-horsepower water tube. Address Ruebel & Wells C. E. Co., 1420 Chemical Bldg. (c96)

LOCOMOTIVE CRANE Wtd.—Approximate 6-ton steam locomotive crane, with boom and claim shell bucket, suitable for unloading coal cars; first-class condition; state particulars. Address Ruebel & Wells C. E. Co., 1420 Chemical Bldg. (c96)

FOR SALE

MOTORS—For sale; new a. c., single phase motors; ¼ h. p., $40; ½ h. p., $50; 1 h. p., $70; 1 1-3 h. p., $90; also used d. c. and a. c. for sale or rent. We do wiring, repairing and installing. Acme Electric Co., 221 Market. (c80)

MUSICAL

Solid agate, 15c line, minimum 2 lines. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION

RAGTIME in 20 lessons or money back; piano, banjo, voice, etc. Christensen Schools, 503-06 Holland Bldg.; also Odeon Bldg. Phones, Olive 2972, Central 3564L. Booklet mailed free. (c8)

TUNING AND REPAIRING

SCHUBERT & SON, 2607 Franklin av., free estimates on tuning, repairing and refinishing. Bomont 171, Central 1571. (c56)

$1.50 FINE tuning, repairing; 20 years experience. Birdman, 3340 Missouri. Sidney 2869, Victor 3075R. (c14)

$1.50 TUNING, pianos and players; first-class repair work guaranteed; 25 years' experience. H. Kautz, 2529 S. Jefferson av. Sidney 970, Victor 2576L. (c14)

$1.50 EXPERT piano tuning; first-class repairing of pianos and player-pianos; reasonable; all work guaranteed. M. Feldman, 2718 Park. Phone Grand 3900, Victor 482L. (c14)

FOR SALE

MUSIC ROLLS, 10c up; big selection; 88-note. 1007 Market st. Open Monday and Saturday evenings. (c34)

PIANO—For sale; upright; big bargain; $75. At Autophone Co., 1113 Olive st. (c8)

STRICTLY high-grade, standard player, mahogany case; slightly used; will sacrifice. Inquire 2526 N. 21st st. (c8)

BRADBURY Upright Piano, plain mahogany case; $95 for quick sale. Payments acceptable. AEOLIAN HALL, 1004 Olive st. (c5)

THOUSANDS of 88-note music rolls, slightly used, but guaranteed; 10c and upwards. AEOLIAN HALL, 1004 Olive st. (c5)

STEINWAY Upright Piano, in fine condition, great bargain at $280; easy terms acceptable. AEOLIAN HALL, 1004 Olive st. (c5)

PLAYER-PIANO—For sale, $125; cost $750; 88-note, almost new; metal tubes, 98 rolls, bench; terms, honest people; leaving city. Box L-253, Post-Dispatch. (56)

STEINWAY Grand Piano, plain mahogany case; condition like new throughout, at $250 saving; payments acceptable. AEOLIAN HALL, 1004 Olive st. (c5)

PLAYER-PIANO—In plain mahogany case, full 88-note player action; condition throughout very good; will take $195 for this player-piano, with music rolls and bench; easy terms. AEOLIAN HALL, 1004 Olive. (c5)

$165 FOR this fine LESLIE BROS. upright piano; beautiful mahogany colonial case; light action; full, mellow tone; terms $1.50 weekly. Warehouse, 1009 Market st. See Mr. Walter. Open Monday and Saturday evenings. (c34)

ELLINGTON Player-Piano for sale for $155. This piano without the player action is worth this much money. Music, bench and stool go with it. Cash or time. Exchange Department. CONROY PIANO CO., 1100 Olive st. (c8)

PIANOS—For sale; in our exchange department; about 75 used upright pianos; some of the best standard makes in the lot; we must make room; prices start at $25 and up; no interest; reasonable terms. May, Stern & Co., 12th and Olive sts. (c5)

$325 BUYS a fine 88-note standard make player piano; this player has been used very little and cost new $800; am selling this player for a customer; an exceptional bargain. Warehouse, 1009 Market st. Ask for Mr. Bauer's player. Open Monday and Saturday evenings. (c34)

AN EMERSON ANGELUS for sale for $395. The new price of this instrument was $850, and this one is an extraordinary bargain in this well-known make. Music, bench and stool go with it. Cash or monthly payments. Exchange Department. CONROY PIANO CO., 1100 Olive st. (c8)

$85 FOR a fine EMERSON upright piano, suitable for apartment or bungalow; small size, but full scale and sweet tone; guaranteed; terms $1.25 weekly. Open Monday and Saturday evenings. THE PIANO & TALKING MACHINE EXCHANGE, 1007 and 1009 Market st. (c34)

PIANO—For sale; a customer of ours from out of the city has shipped us her 88-note player-piano and has asked us to sell it for her for $190; she paid $600 for this instrument just one year ago; complete with 27 rolls of music, bench and scarf. May, Stern & Co., 12th and Olive sts. (c5)

A RARE OPPORTUNITY to buy a high-grade KRAKAUER upright piano for $150; mahogany case, sweet, mellow tone and a genuine bargain at this price; terms $1.50 weekly. Warehouse, 1009 Market st. See Mr. Walter. Open Monday and Saturday evenings. (c34)

A SMALL outlay of money will buy a high-class secondhand upright at this time. We have them as low as $50; they range from this price to $150; included in the lot are such well-known makes as Steinways, Henry F. Miller, Fischer, Vose, Emerson and many others. Terms made to suit purchaser. Exchange Department. CONROY PIANO CO., 1100 Olive st. (c8)

KIESELHORST'S is the best place in St. Louis to buy genuine bargains in used pianos and player-pianos of good makes; also new pianos of discontinued or shopworn styles. Many different makes for your selection. Complete satisfaction guaranteed or your money refunded. Payments to suit you. Write, phone or call. KIESELHORST'S. Established 1879. 1007 Olive st. (c14)

$250 BUYS a dandy Player Piano, nice combination bench and rolls; this player cost when new in the neighborhood of $600; a real snap; easy monthly payments. THE PIANO & TALKING MACHINE EXCHANGE, 1007 and 1009 Market st. (c34)

AN ALMOST new Steinway & Sons player-piano for sale for $485. It is rarely that an instrument of this kind can be had at so low a figure, so if you have any idea of getting a Steinway player lose no time in seeing this one. Music bench and stool included. Cash or monthly payments. Exchange Department. CONROY PIANO CO., 1100 Olive st. (c8)

BARGAINS in upright pianos, $50 up; player-pianos, $150 up; grand pianos, $200 up; new factory sample pianos and player-pianos, $100 up; square pianos, organs, cabinet players, talking machines, $5 up; music rolls for all players, 10c, 20c up; new Columbia grafonolas, $18 up; Columbia records, 75c up; payments to suit. The PIANO & TALKING MACHINE EXCHANGE, 1007 and 1009 Market st. (c14)

WE have assembled a very large stock of slightly used pianos, all standard makes; they were exchanges for player-pianos during the holiday season and are offered for sale at bargain prices. Select one now and get the benefit of this great chance for individual selection. Deferred payments will be gladly arranged so that all who desire to have one of these bargains can pay by monthly remittances. Barthel & Duesenberg, 912 Pine st. (c47)

MUSICAL

FOR SALE

FRANK STELL, BEST PLACE

To buy player; factory men; save you $30 to $150; no interest. Lester players are best; none better. 1414-16-18-20 N. 16th. (c8)

RECORD EXCHANGE

RECORDS bought, sold and exchanged. Circulating Record Co., 115 N. 10th st. (c14)

TALKING MACHINES

BARGAINS in talking machines and slightly used records. 115 N. 10th st. (c65)

EDISON diamond disc phonograph, mahogany case, full cabinet size; great bargain. Terms to suit. AEOLIAN HALL, 1004 Olive st. (c5)

GRAFONOLA—For sale; Columbia; would pass for new; complete with 36 records; bargain; reasonable terms; no interest; this is a snap for someone. May, Stern & Co., 12th and Olive sts. (c5)

SPECIAL OFFER—Our regular $90 Grandtrola phonographs, only $75, including 6 Columbia records; unexcelled in purity and sweetness of tone; plays all makes records perfectly; 47 inches high; easy payments. Murmann Phonograph Co., 1318 Olive. (c89)

PHONOGRAPH—For sale; Edison diamond disc; beautiful fumed oak; excellent condition; big bargain; $35. THE ARTOPHONE CO., 1113 Olive. (c14)

VICTOR—For sale; first-class condition; with records; $20. The Artophone Co., 1113 Olive st. (c14)

VICTROLA—Style XIV; mahogany case; fine opportunity; terms if desired. AEOLIAN HALL, 1004 Olive st. (c5)

SPECIAL OFFER—$50 value Grandtrola phonograph, only $32.50, including 12 selections; plays all makes disc records perfectly; quality and tone unexcelled; easy payments. Murmann Phonograph Co., 1318 Olive. (c80)

ROOMS and BOARD

For rent, city, solid agate, 10c per line. Wanted, hotels, roommate, country and suburban board, 15c per line. Room agencies, 25c per line. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOMS—Catholic widow having modern apartment, near New Cathedral, will share with 2 Catholic women or man and wife; every convenience. Box B-385, Post-Dis.

CENTRAL

CHOUTEAU, 1756—Large front, furnished housekeeping room, with Cole's high-oven range.

FRANKLIN, 3400—Rooms for housekeeping; range, furnace heat, $2.75; also one, $2; heat.

LOCUST, 3127—100 clean, modern, steam-heated rooms, 75c day, $3 week. (6)

SEVENTH, 909 S.—Near Chouteau av.; furnished rooms; steam heat, electric lights, bath.

TENTH, 5 S. (cor. Market)—Light housekeeping, $20; other rooms, $1.25 up. (6)

WASHINGTON, 3402—Warm rooms for light housekeeping, $2.50, $3; connecting rooms, $4; also sleeping rooms. (c5)

SOUTH

BROADWAY, 1904 S.—One room, unfurnished; $3.50; open all week.

BROADWAY, 2317 S.—Three large, bright rooms; 2d floor; $10.50. (89)

CLEVELAND, 4029A — Lovely, furnished front room; porch; private kitchen; hot water, electricity.

GRAND, 1604 S.—Rooms; residence; exceptionally well heated, steam. Grand 1013. (c15)

JEFFERSON, 1607A S.—4 rooms, bath, $14 and $16. (c8)

SHENANDOAH, 3934—Hall room; second floor front; all conveniences; free phone. (65)

TWELFTH, 2300 S.—Rooms, housekeeping or rooming; gas, heat, running water. (6)

WEST

CATES, 5079—2 furnished rooms; all conveniences. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3605—Furnished rooms; steam heat; hot and cold water in rooms. Lindell 4448. (6)

DELMAR BL., 5139—Nicely furnished connecting light housekeeping rooms; strictly modern; thoroughly clean. (5)

DELMAR BL., 5196—Connecting housekeeping rooms; steam heat; continuous hot water; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 3873—Front connecting housekeeping rooms, with range; other rooms; telephone; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4052—Nicely furnished, clean, cheerful, thoroughly heated rooms; continuous hot bath; electricity; 3 phones; quiet, respectable adults; sleeping, housekeeping, $2.50 up. Lindell 5588.

DELMAR BL., 5711—Newly built, well-heated, beautifully furnished 1-room apartments, with private baths, in-a-dor beds; no cooking. Cabany 3051.

EASTON, 5160—Two nice room, furnished or unfurnished, for light housekeeping.

FOREST PARK BL., 4340—One large, furnished room; running hot water in room; phone.

HAMILTON, 1270—Three 3d-floor rooms; newly furnished; for light housekeeping. (96)

LACLEDE, 3685—Two housekeeping rooms; furnished; adults. (65)

LACLEDE, 3687 — Front, furnished light housekeeping room; also a back room; bath, gas, electric, heat. Delmar 3520X.

DELMAR BL., 4379—Nicely furnished front room, hot bath; $2 week.

MARYLAND, 4209—Large, beautifully furnished south front room; electric, heat, phone, hot water; gentlemen or couple employed.

OLIVE, 3858—Warm housekeeping rooms; reasonable.

PAGE BL., 3820—Housekeeping rooms, gas range, kitchenette, $2.50 up. Lindell 3966R. (7)

ROOM—Steam-heated, suitable for two; convenient to Wagner Electric Co. Phone Cabany 1386W. (5)

VON VERSEN, 4061—Second-floor front, with kitchenette; well heated; gas range; clean.

VON VERSEN, 4060—Nicely furnished, warm, connecting housekeeping rooms, 2d floor.

VON VERSEN, 4350—Well-heated rooms; modern home; very reasonable; gentlemen. Lindell 6450. (5)

WASHINGTON BL., 4957—Nicely furnished warm room; hot-water heat; all conveniences; phone. (73)

WELLS, 5072A—Furnished room, hot-water heat, electric lights; $2 week.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4069—Newly furnished room; conveniences. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3942A—Front room, steam-heated apartment; continuous hot water. Lindell 6466W.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4244—Large 2d floor front and 1 small room; pleasant and convenient location; unlimited supply of hot water; 6 doors east of Maryland car, 1 short block south of all Olive cars; no ladies or children; breakfast if desired. (7)

WINDSOR PL., 3802—Two nicely furnished rooms; light housekeeping; all conveniences. (80)

NORTH

EAST GRAND, 2016—3 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; low rent. Central 9797X.

ELEVENTH, 2616 N.—Front rooms for light housekeeping, $2.50; side, $2. (6)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

CENTRAL

CASS, 2205—Single room; warm; first-class board; light housekeeping; private. (6)

SOUTH

LAFAYETTE, 2156—Opposite park; rooms, board optional; continuous hot water in rooms; 4th st. car. Sidney 2024.

WEST

CLEMENS, 5736—Large s. e. room, and board for two. (3)

A DEMAND always exists for neat, comfortable, well-kept rooms, both in private families and rooming houses.

There is profit in supplying this demand, when rooms can be kept filled. Post-Dispatch Wants are finding such tenants satisfactorily for most St. Louisans — printing more Room and Board Wants than appear in three of its four competitors combined.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—WEST

DELMAR, 5049A—Room and board; $5.50 week; hot water; conveniences. (5)

DELMAR BL., 3706—Private family will room and board four people; all conveniences. (7)

KING'S HIGHWAY, 1246 N.—Board, for 1 or 2 ladies; very reasonable; Page car. (7)

LINDELL BL., 3942—Modern furnished steam-heated room, continuous hot water; excellent meals. (2)

LINDELL BL., 3674—Gentlemen who are tired of club and hotel life; an ideal home with a few business men; residence; central; beautiful rooms; steam heat; 3 baths; real home cooking; garage; rates $30 per month. Phone Lindell 2614. (c6)

MAPLE, 4926—Front room; good board, for 2; modern; $5 each; private.

PAGE BL., 4956 (King's highway)—Large front room; real home board; reasonable; modern. (1)

VERNON, 5206—One front room; all modern conveniences; excellent table. (7)

VON VERSEN, 5101—Double southern-exposed front room; excellent meals; hot-water heat.

WASHINGTON BL., 4311—Large, well-furnished room for 1 or 2; with board.

WASHINGTON BL., 3964—Modern, clean, warm rooms; continuous hot water; excellent meals; reasonable. (5)

WESTMINSTER, 3828—Modern furnished room; continuous hot water; excellent meals. (8)

ROOMMATES WANTED

LADY to share pleasant room for six weeks. Box E-77, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ROOMS WANTED

ROOM Wtd.—Small furnished room in vicinity Russell and Klemm avs. Grand 1831.

ROOMS Wtd.—3 furnished light housekeeping rooms; past 4000; heat furnished. Ask for Dr. Morgan. Delmar 4190. (7)

ROOMS Wtd.—2 beautifully furnished housekeeping rooms on first and second floor front; gas range, electricity; everything complete. Call Central 7135, ask for Mrs. Doyle, room 245.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—In private family by married couple; Catholic family preferred; between 39th and Tower Grove. Phone Central 9157J.

HOTELS

ALCAZAR HOTEL, 3127 Locust; 100 clean, modern, steam-heated rooms, 75c a day, $3 a week up. (c8)

HOUSES, FLATS, ETC.

Solid agate, 15c line, minimum 2 lines. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

FLATS FOR RENT

CENTRAL

BRANTNER PL., 3110—3 rooms, $9; first month, $5. Keys 3108. (5)

EIGHTEENTH, 923 N.—First floor; 4 rooms, bath, etc.; low rent; inquire Breman, 1800 Wash st. (c8)

TWENTY-FOURTH, 1433 N.—3 rooms, 1st or 2d floor; reduced to $9; key 1431. (c8)

SOUTH

ALABAMA, 4756—Three rooms and bath; electric; rent $14.50. DOERFLINGER REALTY CO.

ALASKA, 4737A—4-room flat, furnace; bath, electric; $20. DOERFLINGER REALTY CO.

CLEVELAND, 4202A—Five-room, modern flat; open; $25. (c5)

GRATTAN, 1418A—Four rooms; water; $11. (c5)

HALLIDAY, 3208—Six rooms, modern; $34. (c5)

JEFFERSON, 1607A S.—4 rooms, bath, $14 and $16. (c8)

MISSOURI, 2262A—Six large rooms; enamel sink; $20. (c5)

POTOMAC, 2917A—Four rooms, bath, furnace, electricity; rent $20. DOERFLINGER REALTY CO.

RUSSELL, 4207—Five large rooms; modern; $23. Main 1196, Central 6849. (c5)

RUTGER, 610-612—Pretty 2-room flats, only $6; keys at corner. (c3)

SHENANDOAH, 3666A—3 large, light rooms; tile bath, screens, shades, inverted lighting fixtures; will decorate; $19. Phone Sidney 1574R. (c6)

WEST

AUBERT, 1232 (corner Maple)—Six-room, modern, light and airy flat; $27; one month rent free. JOHN S. BLAKE & BRO., 812 Chestnut. (c80)

BARTMER, 5945—Four rooms, bath, furnace, electricity; $21. (c5)

CLARA, 1372A—Five rooms, bath, furnace, electricity; only $20. Main 1196, Central 6849. (c5)

DELMAR BL., 4810—Four rooms and bath, furnace; $20. ELMORE CAVE & CO., 109 N. 7th st. (c80)

GAMBLETON, 6123—Four rooms and hall room; modern, light, well located; $22.50. Main 1196. (c5)

MARYLAND, 4321—Six rooms, bath, steam heat; reduced to $35; garage separate. JOHN S. BLAKE & BRO., 812 Chestnut. (c80)

STEAM HEATED FLAT. 5219A Cates; 5 rooms and bath; steam heat furnished; gas and electric; rent $30. MARTIN-BREITT R. E. CO., 1119 Chemical Bldg. (c7)

NORTH

ABNER PL., 3025—New, modern 3-room flat; tile bath, furnace; $19; adults. (c91)

ASHLAND, 4776—5 rooms, all modern; with garage; $25 month. Delmar 2519R. (c96)

COTE BRILLIANTE, 5255—3 rooms and bath on 1st floor, $16. (c5)

FARLIN, 4152—4 rooms and sun parlor; hardwood floors, built-in bookcases; modern; garage. Colfax 1354J. (c89)

HEBERT, 1408—2 rooms, bath, toilet, laundry, shades, fixtures. (5)

KENNERLY, 4628A—Three rooms; water; $11. (c5)

NORTH MARKET, 5848A—4 rooms, bath, furnace; just completed, $23. (c80)

DWELLINGS FOR RENT

SOUTH

CALIFORNIA, 4035—Five-room cottage; water; stable; $11. (c5)

RUSSELL, 3842—Nine-room, modern residence; good repair; $35. (c5)

WEST

AUBERT, 1156—Four-room brick cottage; toilet; $18. (c5)

McPHERSON, 4038—Modern, 8-room dwelling; $35. JOHN S. BLAKE & BRO., 812 Chestnut. (c80)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3915—Modern 10-room dwelling; desirable, convenient; only $50. (c89)

ONE MONTH'S RENT FREE

112 N. Newstead; 9 rooms, furnace, bath, fixtures; Cathedral Parish; will put in first-class condition. JOHN S. BLAKE & BRO., 812 Chestnut st. (c80)

NORTH

GREER, 4539—Five-room, modern cottage; newly decorated; $30. Main 1196, Central 6849. (c5)

APARTMENTS

SOUTH

THIRTY-NINTH, 1834—Beautiful 4 rooms and sun parlor, hardwood floors, tile bath. $37.50. Olive 1530. (c5)

WEST

BERLIN, 5506—First floor; 5 rooms, sun room, sleeping porch, $60. Benton 233W. (c80)

VERNON, 5269—First floor, 6 large, bright rooms. See janitor, 1208 Union, or call Main 1196. (c5)

STERLING APARTMENTS

6021 Berlin av.; 5 rooms, 3d floor west; all modern conveniences; brick garage; heat and janitor service; rent $37.50 per month. B. A. THOMPSON REALTY CO., 5872 Delmar bl.

FURNISHED FLATS—APARTM'TS

MISCELLANEOUS

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Beautiful, 5 rooms and sun parlor; immediate possession. Cabany 2136. (c)

WEST

BELL, 4622A—Beautiful furnished 4-room flat; furnace; low rent. Central 9797X.

CATES, 5178—Splendid 5-room furnished flat for rent; possession at once. (5)

DELMAR BL., 4547A—6 large rooms; just vacated; has a hot-water heating plant; rent $25; will decorate. (7)

EUCLID, 27 S.—Choice 4-room furnished apartment, rent by the month or lease at reduced rate. (c40x)

MINERVA, 5131A—5 beautifully furnished rooms, complete; perfectly clean. (c5)

OLIVE, 3715—Heated 3-room furnished apartments, $6 and up; every convenience. (c36)

PAGE BL., 5820—Five-room furnished flat, player-piano, Victrola, gas, electricity; cheap; $60. Lindell 3966R. (7)

FLATS AND APT'S WANTED

FURNISHED FLATS & APT'S WTD.

FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—One housekeeping apartment, with bath, steam or hot-water heat; West End. Box E-84, Post-Dispatch.

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT

CHERRY, 2113—Three rooms, electric, water. Central 6849. (c5)

EUCLID, 225 (Webster Groves)—Seven-room modern residence; good repair; will pay moving expenses. Main 1196, Central 6849. (c5)

EUCLID, 208 (Webster)—Seven rooms; hardwood floor, hot water heat, bath; $25. Main 1196. (c5)

HOUSES WANTED

COTTAGE Wtd.—Modern, 4-room, by couple; South Side. Box B-189, Post-Dis. (5)

COTTAGE Wtd.—By couple; modern; 4 rooms, north or west; reasonable. 4515 Union.

TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES

CENTRAL

DESK ROOM—Apply 301 Fullerton Bldg. (c7)

ARE YOU SEEKING A NEW LOCATION? 217 N. 2D ST. MAY SUIT YOUR WANTS

This is a 3-story building with elevator; right in heart of business center; furnace heat; 4500 sq. ft.; adapted for storage or light manufacturing; rent reasonable and liberal inducements. OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut. (c16)

SOUTH

STORE—2002 Sidney; large, spacious; good for meat market; $36. (c5)

WEST

EASTON, 4208—Large store, 25x80 feet; good location for store or light manufacturing; rent $18. (c65)

HAMILTON, 948—Nice store, for automobile accessories or any other business, $18; 10 garages in rear. JOHN S. BLAKE & BRO., 812 Chestnut. (c80)

OFFICES—And studios, at Henneman Hall, 3723 Olive st. (c8)

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT

OAK, 2160 (Wellston)—Three-room cottage; water, furnace, electric; $12. (c5)

FOR COLORED PEOPLE

FRANKLIN, 3132—Clean, 8-room house, furnace, attic, basement, yards, sheds; low rent; key 3134 Franklin; Central 4096. 1140 Chestnut st. (c8)

WASH, 2329—3 nice rooms, $11. BUSH-BURNS, 1105 Chestnut. (c8)

REAL ESTATE

Solid agate, 15c line, minimum 30c. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

REAL ESTATE WANTED

I WANT your contract for 1918 for the sale or exchange of your property; quick action, mutual results. WM. APPEL, 3505 Gravois av., Gravois, near Grand; open Monday evenings. (c6)

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE

RESIDENCE Wtd.—For exchange, fine large residence in Webster Park, near Loretto Seminary, to exchange for smaller residence in the West End section of St. Louis. See me for all particulars and card of admission. KENT JARVIS, Agent, 706 Chestnut st.

FARMS FOR SALE

LAND buyers' excursion to Little Rock, Ark., next Monday night; level, productive land, near army cantonment; on easy terms; free trip to buyers. Box E-71, Post-Dispatch. (7)

I OWN about 5000 acres fine land in Northeastern Arkansas, near Jonesboro, and offer splendid inducements to men to clear and farm land; big money can be made on account of high prices for farm products. See me or write J. K. Goin, 313 Boatmen's Bank Bldg. (c7)

YOUR CHANCE IS IN CANADA—Rich lands and business opportunities offer you independence; farm lands, $11 to $30 acre; irrigated lands, $35 to $50; 20 years to pay; $2000 loan in improvements, or ready-made farms. Loan of livestock; taxes average under 20c an acre; no taxes on improvements, personal property or livestock; good markets, churches, schools, roads, telephones; excellent climate—crops and livestock prove it. Special homeseekers' fare certificates. Write for free booklets. Allen Cameron, general superintendent Land Branch, Canadian Pacific Railway, 151 9th av., Calgary, Alberta. (c100)

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE

MISCELLANEOUS

HEADQUARTERS FOR SUBURBAN PROPERTY. WALTER SCOTT REALTY CO., 721 Olive st., St. Louis. Largest sellers suburban property. (c100)

WEBSTER

LOT—For sale, nice, high lot in Webster Groves, 50x150; price $6 per foot; terms, $10 cash and $10 per month. See KENT JARVIS, Agent, 706 Chestnut st.

LOT—For sale, fine business lot on Lockwood av., Webster Groves, near gas company building, 50 feet front; all improvements; no restrictions; only $30 per foot; reasonable terms. Buy this now and you will make money. KENT JARVIS, Agent, 706 Chestnut st.

BUNGALOWS AND COTTAGES

MISCELLANEOUS

COTTAGE—For sale, dandy, 4 room brick, nearly new, on Dahlia av., just west of Gravois; Cherokee car; streets made; electric fixtures, etc. Leaving the city. Will sell for $2600; $400 cash, balance to suit. Box O-134, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BUNGALOW—For sale, new 5-room brick; price cut from $3200 to $2750, less than it cost to build; 1 block from Bellefontaine car south; has furnace, electric, hip roof; streets made; pay $300 cash, balance easy monthly payments. See this. Box O-118, Post-Dispatch. (c)

4-Room Brick Cottage, $2500

Brick porch, bath, furnace, electric; fine cement cellar; 30-foot lot; would be bargain at $3000; near Bevo mill; pay $250 cash, balance $20 monthly; all interest included like rent. Box O-105, Post-Dispatch. (c)

WEST

COTTAGE—For sale; 6734 Page bl.; 5-room brick; hardwood floors; furnace and tile bath; look at this and make offer. Delmar 2519R. (c96)

FINANCIAL

Solid agate, 15c line, minimum 2 lines. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

LOANS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY

WE arrange loans on furniture from $5 to $500. Call Delmar 2843J.

MONEY supplied salaried people, furniture owners; quick, confidential. People's Brokerage, 1842 Railway Exchange. (c14)

UNITED FINANCE, 323 Chemical Bldg., loans all honest salaried people and furniture owners. (c14)

MONEY LOANED salaried people; reduced rates. Room 1881 Railway Exchange Bldg. (c5)

MONEY TO LOAN—On diamonds, watches and jewelry, at lowest rates of interest. Walker Jewelry & Loan Co., 213 N. 7th. (c8)

MONEY—For salaried people upon their own names; easy payments; confidential, quick. Fisher & Co., room 517 Commercial Bldg., 6th and Olive sts. (c8)

STANDARD CREDIT, 2081 Ry. Exchange. Loans to furniture owners, salaried people, without security; cheapest rate; best and most private terms; those dealing elsewhere will appreciate the difference; no delay. (c14)

QUICK MONEY. Salaried people (without security) or furniture owners can get it easy in strict confidence. No one can give you cheaper rates or easier payments. UNITED FINANCE, 323 Chemical Bldg. (c14)

NEED MONEY? Loans secured on furniture and pianos and to salaried people, quickly, quietly and cheaply. AMERICAN BROKERAGE CO., 2002 Railway Exchange Bldg. (c14)

LOANS ON REAL ESTATE

MONEY TO LOAN—I have a few thousand dollars to loan on real estate. Box K-34, Post-Dispatch. (c3)

MONEY TO RENT—$100 and up on city and county property. E. LAUMANN, Cabany 744, 6266 Easton. (c16)

MONEY TO LOAN—City and country; lowest rates; quick action; building loans. Keane & Franke, 1008 Chestnut. (c80)

MONEY WANTED

1st Deeds of Trust

FOR SALE—HIGH-CLASS HOUSE. We guarantee every loan to be first deed of trust. Perfect title to each loan. Call for list today. Ranging in all amounts from $200 to $25,000; 40 years in loaning business. CHAS. F. VOGEL R. E. CO. FRANK L. DITTMEIER R. E. CO., 524 Chestnut st. (c8)

COSTS .022 TO MAKE PILLS SELLING AT 25C

Statement of Head of Concern in Promotion of Sale of Stock.

Liver pills, for which pill consumers pay 25 cents a box cost to manufacture 26 cents per dozen boxes, according to a statement of W. H. Lamont, president of the Salux Drug Co., Seventeenth and Morgan streets, circulated by J. T. Claiborne & Co., investment brokers, Times Building to promote the sale of Salux Drug Co. stock.

The statement sets forth the profit in not only liver pills but other remedies manufactured by the company. Under the head of Profit in Medicine, the circular says: "In our list of over 300 items we have a number of ready or every-day sellers—goods that are in demand because of their general use, or because they relieve abnormal conditions found more frequently than others in the human body."

"Confidential Profits."

It then submits "a few confidential profits" as follows:

Salko Liver Tonic.....Sells for 50c
Costs Druggist, per dozen, $4.00.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $1.40.
Salko Liver Pills.....Sells for 25c
Costs Druggist, per dozen, $1.75.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $0.26.
Salko Family Liniment.....Sells for 50c
Costs Druggist, per dozen, $4.00.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $0.72.
Salko Kidney Pills.....Sells for 50c
Costs Druggist, per dozen, $4.00.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $0.54.
Salko Uka-pine.....Sells for 50c
Costs Druggist, per dozen, $4.00.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $1.06.
Salko Shaving Lotion.....Sells for 50c
Costs Druggist, per dozen, $4.00.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $0.96.
Salko Liquid Headache Medicine, Sells for 50c
Costs Druggist, per dozen, $4.00.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $0.90.
Salko Dyspepsia Tablets.....Sells for 50c
Costs Druggists, per dozen, $2.00.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $0.32.
Salko Hair Tonic.....Sells for 50c
Costs Druggists, per dozen, $4.00.
Costs to manufacture, per dozen, $0.68.

The capitalization of the company is $1,500,000. Its selling plan is to send a salesman with an automobile to work in succession the territory surrounding 16 towns, displaying on the sides of the machine in each town the name of a local druggist.

Overhead and Selling Cost.

Lamont told a Post-Dispatch reporter that the profits set out in the circular were about the same as were made on all proprietary medicines, but the statement of the manufacturing cost did not include overhead, advertising, selling cost and other items of expense. The selling plan was peculiar to the Salux company, he said, and had been developed in recognition of the fact that 75 per cent of patent medicines are bought by country people.

He said that all liver pills cost about the same amount to manufacture and that in selling them at 25 cents a box his company was simply following the price precedent set by other pill-makers. He deprecated publicity on the ground that pill purchasers might think that there was not merit in pills which cost them 25 cents a box and which cost the manufacturers, say, 40 cents a dozen boxes.

Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs & Colds

—sold considerable, too, and now it is known the nation over as the standard cough and cold remedy. Successful and satisfactory because it is quick acting and safe. Doesn't upset the stomach nor does it nauseate. Use it for that mean hacking cough, and in all stages of grippe.

Get it at your druggists

Always Lead to Better Health

Serious sicknesses start in disorders of the Stomach and Liver. The best corrective and preventive is Dr. King's New Life Pills. They prevent Constipation, keep Liver, and Bowels in a healthy condition. Effective, mild.

THERE WAS A DAY NOT LONG AGO

When Few Women Used Face Powders, Creams or Cosmetics

Now, almost every woman uses them—and without concealment. It is conceded that she has the right to retain her youthful look as long as she can. For this reason, many women of unquestioned refinement now use Q-ban Hair Color Restorer to retain the youthful beauty of their hair. If your hair is gray, streaked with gray or faded, you, too, can bring back all its natural color with this simple, harmless preparation.

Q-ban is not a dye. You can prove this by trying it on your combings. Dyes will color them but Q-ban leaves them unchanged. It is a wonderful and delightful toilet requisite which keeps the hair glossy and youthful. Does not stain the scalp, or wash or rub off, and does not interfere with washing or waving the hair. Removes dandruff and keeps the scalp healthy. Easily applied.

Sold by all good druggists everywhere on Money-Back Guarantee. Price 75c.—ADV.

Quick sales are made in furniture, books, desks, typewriters, etc., through Post-Dispatch Wants.

The Unprecedented Advances in Wool Give Emphasis to the Savings Now Offered in This Clearance Sale.

January Clearing Sale

First in Variety and Values, This Sale Is Known Throughout the Entire West as Clothes-Buying Time.

At Famous-Barr Co.—Twice-a-Year Reductions!

¶ You must appreciate this sale in the light of present conditions. You must consider that the world's wool consumption is proceeding at a rate hitherto undreamed of—far in excess of production; that enormous quantities of wool are being diverted from civilian to military channels; that it is costing ever more and more to produce a wool garment. You must REALIZE that conditions ARE extraordinary, that all this talk about stringencies of material and men is NOT MERE TALK, but hard fact. And when this store comes forward with such values as these, values as substantial and as tangible as the clothes themselves, men who are alert to their own true interests MUST respond. Every man in St. Louis who has not yet attended this sale is in line for the biggest values in MONTHS TO COME—if he acts quickly.

Suits of Unquestioned Quality—

¶ Garments expertly assembled from the most skillful makers, and absolutely correct in fit, fashion and fabric. As for variety, the choosing is by far the largest in St. Louis, embracing everything from the youthful "belter" to the plainer two and three button sack models. Cassimere, Homespun, Worsted or Mixture—whatever is to your taste and looks best on you. Values truly extraordinary in every one of the five big sales groups below.

Warm, Worthy, Winter Overcoats

As stylish as ever you'd care to put on, yet essentially SERVICEABLE Coats. Your choice lies between the smartest Friezes, Meltons, Vicunas, Kerseys and Scotch weaves—tailored plainly or with the military air that is so much admired this season. What style, what fabric, what color—these are matters for you to decide. You have a world of choice—the extraordinary sale lots being grouped at—

Suits and Overcoats *Clearing at the Remarkable Price of* **$14**

Suits and Overcoats *Clearing at the Remarkable Price of* **$16**

Suits and Overcoats *Clearing at the Remarkable Price of* **$19**

Suits and Overcoats *Clearing at the Remarkable Price of* **$23**

Suits and Overcoats *Clearing at the Remarkable Price of* **$28**

Second Floor

Men's Mackinaws

¶ We've affixed the lowest prices of the season to clear them away. Every Coat is worthy, and an exceptional value. Take yours at

$6.75 $9.50 $11.50

Men's Trousers

¶ The extra pair that will match your coat is here at a much lowered price now. All fabrics; all sizes, at

$2.10 $2.65 $3.55 $4.60

Second Floor

Crepe Hats---The Latest

Special Values at. **$5.00**

¶ Two hundred brand-new Hats have just arrived from New York. Crepe, combined with satin or straw—in the new poke and bustle shapes, sailors, mushrooms and smart small models. Unusual color effects may be chosen; or the plainer taupe, brown, purple, navy, old rose, blue and brown. Splendid hats for immediate wear.

Third Floor.

Misses' Coats to $29.75

In the Clearing Sale Saturday for Only..... **$15.00**

¶ Broadcloth or Burella—Velour or Kersey—Zibeline or Cheviot—your preference of scores of splendid styles, in practically all colors. $15 will do wonders in the Misses' Section tomorrow.

Other Remarkable Clearing Lots

Coats at.....	$20.00	Dresses at....	$20.00
Coats at.....	$27.50	Dresses at....	$29.50
Coats at.....	$30.00	Suits at.....	$15.00
Coats at.....	$40.00	Suits at.....	$25.00
Coats at.....	$50.00	Suits at.....	$30.00
Dresses at....	$14.00	Suits at.....	$35.00

Third Floor

20% Allowed on Old Casings!

¶ Saturday and Monday we shall accept your old casing (any make) as 20% payment on the purchase price of any Gordon tire, sold with adjustment GUARANTEE of 5000 miles. Leave your order tomorrow!

Free Service Anywhere in St. Louis or St. Louis County.

	Ribbed Tread			Non-Skid		
	List	20% Allowance for Old Casings	Exchange Price	List	20% Allowance for Old Casings	Exchange Price
30x3	$15.80	$3.16	$12.64	$16.75	$3.35	$13.40
30x3½	$20.20	$4.04	$16.16	$21.35	$4.27	$17.08
32x3½	$23.75	$4.75	$19.00	$25.30	$5.06	$20.24
32x4	$31.95	$6.19	$25.76	$34.10	$6.82	$27.28
33x4	$33.50	$6.70	$26.80	$35.70	$7.14	$28.56
34x4	$34.30	$6.86	$27.44	$36.45	$7.29	$29.16
35x4½	$47.65	$9.53	$38.12	$49.95	$9.99	$39.96
36x4½	$48.35	$9.67	$38.68	$50.50	$10.10	$40.40

Second Floor

Boys, Too, Can Share in the Clearing Sale

Five Exceptional Groups of Winter

Suits, Overcoats and Mackinaws

¶ This is a sale for everyone, and the little fellows have not been forgotten. On the contrary, some of the best values in the entire clearing event are concentrated in these five big groups of Boys' Clothing. And for boys of all ages—from the tiniest tad to the boy in high school.

¶ Mother should consider her boy's needs for many months to come, while such values are offered.

Priced Keenly to Your Advantage at

$3.80 $4.60 $5.90 $7.75 $9.50

Second Floor

And Odd Knickers

—all kinds to match all sorts of coats—specially priced at

$1.10, $1.45, $1.85

A Delayed Shipment of Steering Coaster Sleds

Has just been received. On account of its late arrival, the Sleds will be sold at reduced prices.

$1.35 Steering Coaster Sleds, $1.00
$1.45 Steering Coaster Sleds, $1.10
$1.65 Steering Coaster Sleds, $1.25
$2.75 Flexible Flyer Sleds, $1.95
$3.25 Flexible Flyer Sleds, $2.45
$4.25 Flexible Flyer Sleds, $3.19
$5.00 Flexible Flyer Sleds, $3.95

Basement Gallery

Boys' $6.50 and $7.00 Sweaters, $4.95

¶ All-wool shaker and rope stitch qualities—in Oxford, green, cardinal and dark Oxford.

Boys' $2.75 Worsted Jerseys..$2.15
Boys' $2 Sweater Coats.....$1.65

Second Floor

Men's $6 and $7 Shoes, $4.85

¶ Good, sturdy tan and gunmetal Shoes—English last—with leather or Neolin soles. Broken lines—but all sizes.

Men's $6.50 Gunmetal and Tan Shoes; Bals. $5.35
Men's $9 Tan and Black Button Shoes; with light colored tops; English last, $5.85

Second Floor

Photo Postal Special

The regular 75c-a-dozen kind, Saturday, the dozen.... **39c**

Studio, Sixth Floor

Men's $3 Soft Hats

In the Sale at. **$1.85**

¶ Sample and slightly imperfect Soft Hats—but all thoroughly good in appearance and wearing quality. Many styles to choose from—in green, gray, brown, tan, pearl and black, and all sizes. The value is as big as the variety.

Main Floor, Aisle 8

Men's Washable Cape Gloves $1.50

¶ The price alone is unusual—but these are the GENUINE South American Capes, better than the ordinary in service and appearance. Choice of tan or gray. All sizes; regular or short fingers.

MANHATTAN SHIRTS!
—Semi-Annual Sale Now On!

Flannelette Pajamas, $1.15
Heavy and warm; sizes A, B, C, D; regular $1.50 values.

Main Floor

Girls' Dresses for Graduation

Special at..... **$5.00**

¶ White Poplin and Linene Dresses—pleated one-piece models, shirred skirt effects, and high-waist styles. Sizes 12, 14 and 16. Very nobby.

White Linen Dresses

Peter Thompson model Dresses, trimmed with braid and embroidered emblems. Slightly soiled from handling. Sizes 10 to 14. Special at.....**$5**

White Lingerie Dresses, sizes 10 to 18, $3.95 to $7.95
Silk and Net Dresses, 10 to 16, $10 to $19.75
White Middies, sizes 12 to 20, $1.25 to $4.50
White Pleated Skirts, 12, 14 and 16 years, $1.95

Third Floor

In the Basement Economy Store

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KEEPING OUR SAILOR BOYS WARM AT SEA.

American officer of engineers, Lieut. Belsey, wounded at Cambrai, in hospital. BRITISH OFFICIAL PHOTO.

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Cold weather snapshot of Director General of Railroads and the Secretary of the Treasury, William G. McAdoo.

Putting on "snow boots" over his shoes. PHOTOS © PAUL THOMPSON.

Adjusting his life preserver vest over wind proof suit worn over regulation uniform.

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These are the heavy woollen socks they have.

Maj. Gen. Charles T. Menoher, who has succeeded Gen. Mann as commander of the Rainbow Division in France. © BUCK.

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Congressman Royal C. Johnson, of South Dakota, leaving for army camp to become a soldier...

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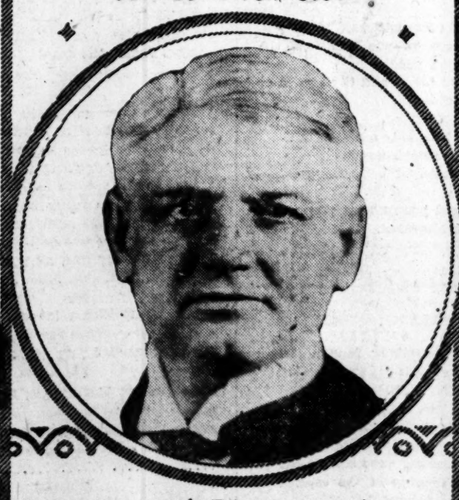
Mrs. Royal C. Johnson, wife of Congressman who voted against war but has now enlisted.



Col. Samuel Mc. Roberts, New York banker, who has the tremendous new task of procuring all supplies needed by American soldiers.

Ammunition depot in France, roofed with leaves, branches and vines to conceal it from enemy air craft. © COM. PUB. INFO.

Filling the gas tank at American aviation school.

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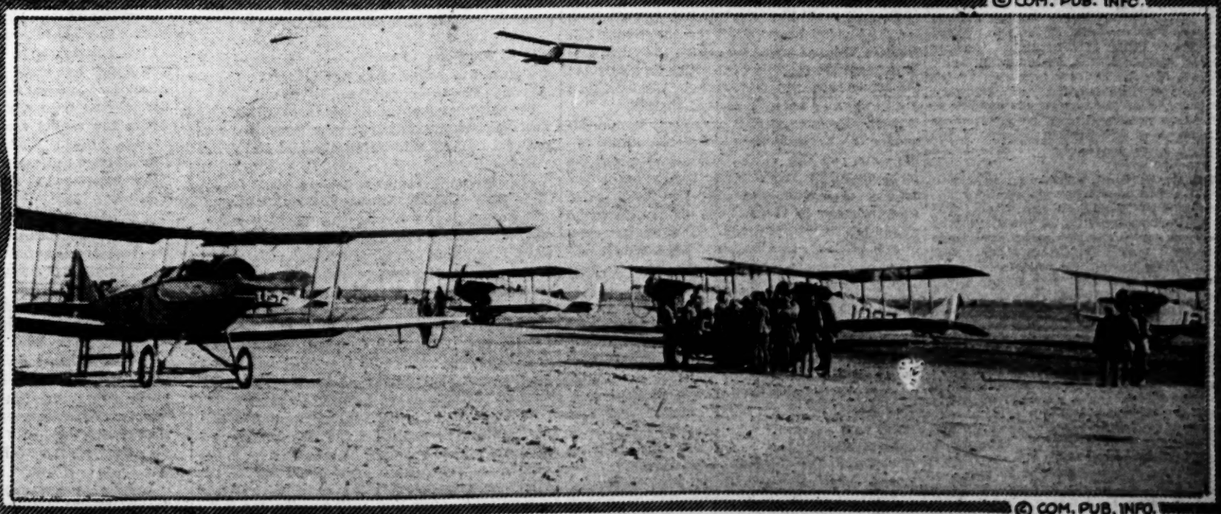

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Scene in American flying school camp where thousands of students are being trained.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Water Power as Coal Substitute.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Now that the Government and people are up against a fuel famine, I want to ask: Why does not the Government utilize the great water powers of this country to manufacture heat, light and power, and sell it to the people at 10 per cent above cost? Government ownership of this public utility is just as necessary to the success of this war as Government ownership of railroads, because every one of the 90,000,000 people of this country need heat, light or power, and millions are being deprived of it, thousands dying from exposure for lack of it, and even important Government work, vital to the success of this war and safety of our country, is delayed for lack of it.

Such an investment would not only help to win the war, but would bring hundreds of millions of dollars into the U. S. treasury and save thousands of lives annually. A branch could be established in every town in the country and every home made comfortable, and housework, factory work and every other kind of work could be done quicker and better, with cheap heat, light and power.

It would also save millions of dollars annually to property owners, whose property is now destroyed by smoke and fuel dirt. I should think every property owner would want such a law. We must have it some day in the near future, and it certainly looks like a fuel famine in time of world war would make the Government realize the necessity of cheap heat, light and power now for the Government and country. Our lives may depend on it, as we do not know what is in store for us or how long the present fuel deposits will last. Efficiency is Germany's watchword; it should be ours. B. W. W.

The Red Cross Success.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The Red Cross Christmas membership campaign was a great success—another victory for St. Louis!—for we have now enrolled over 230,000 Christmas members. This would have been impossible without the active and hearty co-operation of the press, and for the help of the Post-Dispatch, the Executive Committee of the St. Louis Chapter wishes to express to you its deepest thanks and gratitude.

MRS. FRANK V. HAMMAR,
Chairman St. Louis Chapter, American Red Cross.

Taft on Senator Reed.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Ex-President Taft's caustic rebuke of your Senator Reed, which appeared in your columns, should be read by every Missourian, for Missouri is responsible for the Senator. This Senator, who is supposed to be a lawyer, should feel the sting of a judicial rebuke by one of Judge Taft's standing with the bar. There is not a chicken thief in Missouri who would not be permitted by a Justice of the Peace to cross-examine his accuser and present his defense. Mr. Taft does not mention the fact that Senator Reed, before Hoover was permitted to speak, claimed in printed interviews that his attitude towards Hoover was vindicated. President Wilson's estimate of your Senator is shown by his directing the publication of Hoover's statement after Senator Reed's committee refused to receive it, and your editorials with those of the leading papers of the country, have thoroughly uncovered the farce.

How is it possible for men in representative positions to misunderstand the times and the people so completely? Vallandingham and his ilk of the Civil War had no precedent to guide and save them from their folly. But these modern Vallandinghams have their predecessors' career before them, and they should profit by it. They should remember that in the future they will be completely forgotten by the great majority, and will be remembered only by the few who will investigate and be astonished at their folly.

I have always been a Republican, but I hope in this great crisis all partisanship has been laid aside. I take off my hat to President Wilson. He has said so eloquently and so frequently what all patriots think, that it is only necessary to quote his suggestion as to the small politicians who, like the Senator so unmercifully flayed by Mr. Taft, lack the horse, common sense that would keep them quiet at least when facing the mighty cyclone of a nation aroused to righteous wrath: Let them "strut their uneasy hour and be forgotten." H. CLAY HORNER.
Chester, Ill.

STATE'S RIGHTS VANISH.

The Post-Dispatch does not favor the policy of establishing woman's suffrage by constitutional amendment, because we believe that control of the suffrage under the Constitution and by right belongs to the separate states, but we cannot understand the reluctance of Congress to pass the equal suffrage amendment, in view of its joyous approval of the prohibition amendment.

President Wilson's recantation of his opposition to the constitutional method of establishing equal suffrage and his advice that Congressmen support it, pulled the amendment through the House by a margin of one vote. Despite his silence and presumed opposition to the prohibition amendment, the measure went through both houses with a whoop.

The last remnant of state's rights vanished when the constitutional prohibition amendment was adopted. It proposed not only an invasion of state's rights, but the abolition of local self-government in regulating personal conduct and a deadly blow at individual liberty.

On the other hand, the suffrage amendment proposes the recognition and extension of human rights. It acknowledges and extends to women a privilege which, in a democracy based upon liberty and justice, belongs as clearly to them as to men. Beyond their fundamental right to equality with men in governmental control they have earned the privilege of participation in government by character, intelligence and unmeasured service.

The prohibition amendment put away state's rights, personal liberty and local self-government with Jeffersonian democracy in a steel-lined vault in the American political cemetery. It set up centralized government by bureaucracy.

When men who voted for nation-wide constitutional prohibition protest against encroachments on state and local government and personal liberty by centralized national Government in the name of these fundamental American principles, it is to laugh—"there ain't no such thing."

The approval by three-fourths of the states of these amendments will mark the final accomplishment of a revolution which will cast all state's rights into the junk pile.

A drafted man sent from St. Louis to Camp Funston has gained 44 pounds in three months, proving conclusively that the food there is poor and inadequate.

SOME NARROW EAST ST. LOUISANS.

They tell a story about an East St. Louis man who died and got to heaven and raised an awful row because he found some St. Louisans there and a few from Belleville and Alton and other East Side towns. He was one of the class of East St. Louisans who think that East St. Louis is the only place on earth. There are not many of them, but they make such a clatter standing up for East St. Louis that they delude themselves into believing that they are East St. Louis.

They caused astonishment the other day by protesting against the removal of the bridge arbitrary on coal, because, although it would not affect the East St. Louis rate, it would correct an injustice to St. Louis.

Just now they are trying to deprive Alton and other East Side towns of limited car service for no other reason than that it is an accommodation to residents of those towns in which East St. Louisans do not share. Belleville has been asking for limited service for years, and the East St. Louis & Suburban Electric Railway Co. is willing to give it, but East St. Louisans who stand up for East St. Louis and against their neighbors will not permit it.

The company is trying to give other towns limited service, but some East St. Louisans board the limited cars in preference to their own cars, smash the windows, pull the trolley off, tie up traffic and delay the homeward trips of their neighbors in the nearby towns.

The Illinois Traction Co. used to run cars through East St. Louis, but now it operates all of its trains over the McKinley bridge. The East St. Louis & Suburban operates some of its trains over the same bridge and may find it advantageous to use that route more freely.

There are 300,000 drug users in New York, according to Government figures. How many drunkards would there be there under forced prohibition?

NIAGARA, KEOKUK AND UNCLE SAM.

Following the Post-Dispatch suggestion that the Government take over the hydro-electric plants at Keokuk, a bill has been introduced in Congress for the Federal operation of the power plants at Niagara Falls as a war measure. The purpose is to increase the capacity of the Niagara plants and the bill presented by Congressman Waldo of New York grants an appropriation of $20,000,000.

Under the international agreement for the diversion of Niagara waters, the installation on the American side of the river is now reported to be producing about 235,000 horsepower a day. As more than 400,000 is produced on the Canadian side, increase in the capacity of the American plants has long been urged. Government control is now proposed as a means to the speediest possible enlargement of the works to serve war emergency needs.

But it is not possible to obtain at Niagara results as quick, as important and at as low a cost as at Keokuk. The 15 turbines now operated at the Mississippi intallation have a theoretical capacity of 10,000 horsepower a day each, but the manager at the dam says they can actually produce a total of 167,000 horsepower, or more than 11,000 each. Places in the dam are ready for 15 more turbines and only the installation of the big wheels is necessary to double the capacity.

With adequate transmission lines more than 50,000 horsepower now unutilized because customers and facilities for getting it to market are lacking can be made available and with 15 more water wheels a total of more than 217,000 horsepower can be supplied as a substitute for tens of thousands of tons of coal, the intensive use of thousands of freight cars and the labor of an army of miners.

Where else can Government aid insure so great a measure of public relief at so cheap a cost?

BIG PREPARATORY WORK.

Secretary Baker's statement to the Senate Military Committee, supplemented by the first annual report of the Council of National Defense, throws light upon the tremendous actual accomplishments of the country in preparation for war.

Mistakes have been made, as the Secretary admits, some of them avoidable, some unavoidable, but practically all remediable. It is only when we look at the thing as a whole, however, that we can understand the categorical declaration that we now have 1,500,000 men under arms, that no army of similar size in the history of the world has ever been raised, equipped and trained so quickly and that there will be adequate arms for every soldier we can send to France in 1918.

It has been salutary, of course, to point the errors out and to expose sloth and red tape when they could be found. But when it is remembered that in less than a year we have been transformed from a peaceful and unprepared people to a nation in arms, it is easy to understand that blunders could scarcely be avoided. Much of the blundering can be charged off to the speed with which the change has been effected.

The task of the National Defense Council has been so gigantic that it is hard to understand it in all its immensity. Through more than 100 separate committees it has linked to the Federal Government every industry that could be used in winning the war. A mere catalogue of what it has done is impressive, running from the production of the liberty motor, the building of cantonments, the control of food and transportation systems down to the labors of the subcommittee on fertilizers.

The bringing of all these facts to public attention is in itself a commendable achievement. Most of us have felt all along that there was little reason for discontent and discouragement, that big things were being done in a big way. It is comforting to know that we were not mistaken.

DISTINCTIONS IN SERVICE.

We agree with Senator Stone that men not entitled to wear military uniforms should not be permitted to wear them. They should be punished for wearing them.

On the other hand, we do not agree that there should be any invidious distinction between men actually in different branches of the service. The man who enlists for service and is assigned to a nonfighting branch on account of special fitness or disability which debars him from actual fighting, is entitled to honor and full credit for his service to his country.

After all, is there any reason for the point raised by Senator Stone except with reference to the frauds? The uniforms of the army and navy have distinguishing insignia which indicate the branches of the service in which the wearer is engaged. Some men are at one time in the fighting forces and at another in the nonfighting service. There is no danger that men who fight will be deprived of the distinction or that the men who do not fight will receive more honor than they are entitled to for serving the country in other capacities.

Perhaps if Senator Stone would make acquaintance with the insignia of ranks and branches of service in the army and navy he would cease from worry.

SCHEIDEMANN'S QUIBBLING.

On the face of things, Philip Scheidemann's retort to Lloyd George's proposal for a peace based upon national self-determination sounds convincing. He says, in effect, that the physician should cure himself and that England's good faith would be proven if the British empire were first to grant independence to India, Ireland and Egypt, before asking independence for Poland and other vassal countries.

The suggestion is a fine bit of literary polemics. Like many other forensic propositions, however, it depends upon half truths. It overlooks the fact that in all practical senses India and Egypt are separate entities in a Federal Government scheme; that their welfare is furthered rather than hindered by the empire; that the war has actually proved their fundamental loyalty to the imperial crown, and their assent to the existing order of things. It also overlooks the vitally important fact that Ireland today has a fair representation in the British Parliament and that the chief reason why it does not enjoy a greater measure of local self-government is that Irishmen themselves cannot agree upon what they want or how they are going to get it.

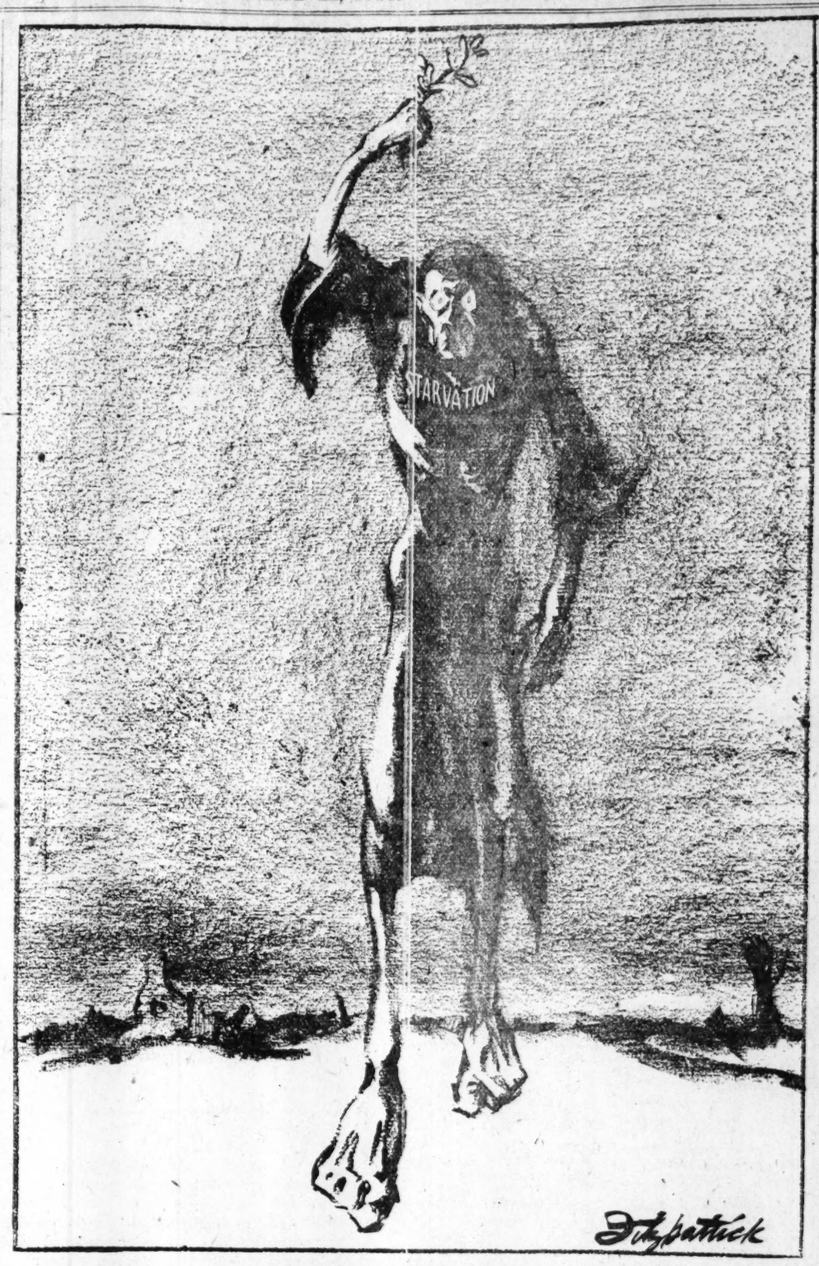
No true student of affairs can believe otherwise than that in the great readjustment of things after this war many wrongs are to be set right and many grievances are to be assuaged. The next few decades undoubtedly will see many centralized governments resolved into federalized ones. The right of localities to have their interests considered as primary and essential rather than as secondary to conflicting interests of empire makers is bound to be established.

The same day that the Kaiser told the Poles he was the champion of humanity a submarine torpedoed a hospital ship full of wounded and dying soldiers.

TEN YEARS FOR RAY CUMMINS.

The conviction of Ray H. Cummins, ex-policeman, on a charge of burglary brings to a fitting end a long record of discredit in the department. How a man of his principles came to be selected as secretary of the relief fund and as the principal representative of the department in urging a salary increase on the Legislature is now less important than that no opportunity shall be permitted for the survival of any deplorable influence he may have exerted on associates while occupying positions of trust on the force.

The testimony at his trial showing felonious dealings while a policeman with the criminal underworld affords new light in which to judge the quality of suspicious transactions for pushing the salary grab, transactions for which he had previously been placed under indictment. The proof in his conviction, that while unworthy men may unfortunately gain favor in the department, wrongdoing is afforded no higher-up protection, is gratifying to the community.



THE PEACE MAKER.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH *by Clark McAdams*

AT LAST.

It was all over.
The Kaiser had finally conquered the world.
He had put France to the sword.
He had reduced the Russians to slavery.
He had knocked the props from under the British empire, and it littered a world.
The British Isles he had given to Ireland.
He had made Belgium the man with the hoe.
South America he had handed to the faithful Germans of Brazil.
The Bagdad railway was building on to India.
German colonists were pouring into the conquered provinces of Canada.
The Balkans were a deer park.
The Panama Canal—Mexico—Central America—they were all his.
The Adriatic was where he went sailing.
The Australians were his sheep herders.
Portugal was his wine cellar.
The United States he had ravaged with the torch.
The Agean was his aquarium.
His was the gold of Alaska.
Scandinavia was his icebox.
New York was Wilhelmstadt.
Greece blacked his boots for him.
He had Roosevelt's skull with the print of an iron boot heel in it, preserved in a glass case in his private museum.
The Japanese were mining coal for the Kaiser in China.
Africa he had given to the Hagenbacks.
There was one flag—one county—one King—and the seven seas were his duck puddle.
It took 50 years to prepare for it, and 15 years to do it—but, behold it was done!
The Kaiser had made good!
Alexander the Great had been only a piker.
Caesar—was there a man named Caesar?
Attila had caused the death of 5,000,000 people—the Kaiser 50,000,000!
Never before had the world known what power was.
Never before had it seen blood run.
The past? Bah!
The future? Two bahs!
Gott had been lukewarm—damn Gott! He had not been necessary.
DEUTSCHLAND UBER ALLES!

* * *

And a damn fool pacifist, speaking from a cistern where Topeka had stood, said: "I was mistaken!"

Just as too much radicalism is to be its own undoing in Russia, so too much pacifism must be the end of pacifism there. The Russians will get mad after while, and when they do the war news coming out of that country will read like some of the celebrated passages from the Book of Samuel.

Judging by the way our own Congress and the British House of Lords are voting for woman suffrage, men are thinking of retiring from the management of the world. They have made a nice mess of it.

Why not give Mr. Hoover a Reedless day?

THE TURRIBLE SCUT.

It was "somewhere in France." The two occupied a cramped lookout post, dark and floored with a layer of muck. The one in kilts has just made a hurried entrance from above, urged by the peevish thrilling of machine guns and the din of bursting shrapnel close by. He lay sprawled half in the muck, too tired to try for a dryer spot. The other cast a glance his way and asked:

"Weary, comrade?"

"Na," replied he of the bare legs in a voice raucous from the damp and the yelling of the charge. "Na, the belchin' o' fire be na quakin' fur the shin o' a Scut. Ner a head split oot frae its settin'. Na, ne'er a hair 'ud ut turn o' a Scut!

"Ner an arm shot free o' it's moorin's 'ud gie him a quirk neath his breeks. Na, er an e'e pinned smart 'pon a bay'net 'ud turn his vittles oot.

"Na. A Scut, mind 'e, Sandee, a Scut can sup oot a deid mun's cup when the finners be stiff wi' the grippin' o' death. A-a-i! Danged ef he cudna, eh?

"I tell 'e, comerd, the diel be fellow wi' the Scuts, und Hell's a wee bit fireside to the Scuts. They be diels, I tell 'e, comerd. Gawd, ef they be not diels, how 'ud they mind the lea wind o'er the land wi' the cauld creepin' the marrows?. Gawd, I say, how?

"Take a Scut. Set him hell'ards and 'es makin' fer hame wi' a wee bottle o' grog and the e'e o' a diel! But lead him afar, comerd, oot o' his land, and Gawd! 'es longin' fer thistles 'pon words. 'Es lone, 'e is, beggardly lone, 'e is. Then show 'im a wee bit o' hither—'es done! 'Ell swallow the hell und crumple doon. 'Es done! Gawd! 'es done!"

PATIENCE WORTH.

One gets a new impression of the Kaiser from things written about internal politics in Germany. Apparently he has not been half so busy rushing from one military front to another as he has been getting around to the various fronts of public opinion. We are told that he fairly wore a groove between the submarine and the anti-submarine camps last winter before that issue was decided. He is in politics, too, as in everything else, all things to all fronts. Some royal runabout, that fellow.

The Congressional investigating committee don't seem to care to have Secretary Daniels paged quite as hard as it seemed they might a little while back.

The coldest block in St. Louis is that on Delmar between Goodfellow and Hamilton. On the south side, where there is an outdoor picture theater, one sees through snow and ice this:

Missouri Airdome
The Place With a Breeze

On the north side, where there is a large picture of an excursion boat, one is chilled to the bone to read:

It's Cool on the River.

We'll say it is.

The MIRROR *of* PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

THE POSTOFFICE AND THE PEOPLE.

CHARLES JOHNSON POST, in the Public.

THE rational Government principle of the Postoffice Department is analagous to that of a Highway Department—an intellectual and educational highway—that it should first give the most widespread means of communication irrespective of cost. It has delivered letters in Alaska for 2 cents that cost $1 on a 1200-mile sledge haul with a dog team—and it has been by such means that Alaska has developed. Who would deny the soundness of that theory or condemn its practice!

Communication, contact, the easy spread and communication of ideas are progress; these are the things that make for civilization, unity, citizenship, patriotism and progress. They are a special cost to no one man—they are benefits whose cost and upkeep our social organization should pay. For our social organization as a whole is benefited. It is the reader, it is the citizen, his wife and children and his community, who are the direct and great beneficiaries of social progress, whether it be through cheap and easily secured periodicals, or through easy transportation systems and the abolition of penalties on educational intercourse. And this 50 to 900 per cent periodical postage increase means less reading for our country. If paper, ink, printing and printing presses had been as cheap and as accessible four centuries ago as they are today, our civilization would be a thousand years in advance of its present standard. The benefits of the invention of the printing press went to society, not to the inventor. The benefits of periodical circulation go to the readers and only incidentally to the publishers. * * *

It is the reading public that receives the benefit of cheap postage and not printers and publishers. Transportation cost, be it high or low, is paid by the consumer and not by the producer. This whole question of periodical postage involves the same principles as the old toll-road arguments. Today we know that free highways are of the utmost importance to the welfare of the country. Yet, there were people who, when the abolition of toll roads was proposed, clamored that free highways were merely a benefit to vehicle owners only! And that the men who walked would have to pay the burden of the upkeep for those who traveled on wheels. What an absurdity! Yet, it is not more absurd than the present-day claims to which Mr. Burleson lends himself, that easy dissemination of reading matter is a subsidy to publishers, that should be exterminated, as he candidly suggests, by freight rates, if it cannot survive in the face of the 50 to 900 per cent periodical postage raise.

The Fashion to Work.

From the Pittsburg Dispatch.

NOT since pioneer days, perhaps, has there been so large a proportion of the American people at work as at the present time. As one observer has said, "it is the fashion to work." That phrase fits it exactly. It is unfashionable to be a slacker, as well as unpatriotic. The idle youth or adult, once perhaps envied by their supposedly less fortunate fellows who "had to work" is no longer admired but pitied or despised. Even the women have come out from their sheltered homes and are bravely doing their part in countless lines of service. America has never had a caste of idlers, such as spring from the aristocracies of Europe. We have prided ourselves on our being a nation of workers. But we have been working for our own ambitions, our self-centered ends. It took the great war to show us that work may have a higher, a nobler purpose, that we should all work as a national duty, as factors in the common development and welfare. We are coming, under the inspiration of patriotic necessity, to ask ourselves not will it "do," but have we done our utmost. Work, viewed in that light, ceases to be a burden and becomes a service.

The Middleaged Man.

From the New York Mail.

THE theory that a man is fit only for the scrap heap after he is 50 has been thoroughly discredited by experience in the present war. Military operations, more than any other form of activity, demand youth and the impetuous energy, enterprise and aggressiveness that have been supposed to go only with youth. In this war these qualities, indispensable in the moral makeup of any military leader, have been found mostly in men well past the 60-year line. And yet there are employers who think that at 45 a man begins to lose his "punch," his capacity for aggressive enterprise, his value as a part of the human machinery of a business enterprise. Never was a more serious economic mistake made. The man of 50 who has lived wisely and has kept in touch with the spirit of the time is at his best. To bodily vigor he joins experience and experience means good judgment. To judgment he joins a sense of responsibility and a habit of steadiness—two qualities of estimable value in business.

TODAY'S BEST CARTOON.

POLISH INDEPENDENCE.

"Now the goose-step as the first preliminary! Parade-schritt, March!"
—From De Amsterdammer (Holland).

WOMEN'S PAGE

"OVER
(The Best Seller
By SERG

Humors of the
Trench Pudd
That the Na

Raffle for the Odd Por
Hearted Chum Shot Do
man Shells Sound Requ

This is the fifth installment o
book, "Over the Top," which wi
Daily Post-Dispatch. An install
week day. There will be no Sun

CHAPTER
RATION

JUST before dozing off, Mr. Lance-Co
In Tommy's eyes, a Lance-Cor
In the Corporal's eyes, he is one o
He ordered me to go with him and h
also told me to take my waterproof.

Every evening from each platoon
Corporal and private goes to the Qu
pany stores and draws rations for the

The "Quarter," as the Quarter-master-Sergeant is called, receives daily from the orderly room (Captain's office) a slip showing the number of men entitled to rations, so there is no chance of putting anything over on him. Many arguments take place between the "Quarter" and the platoon Non-Com, but the former always wins out. Tommy says the "Quarter" got his job because he was a burglar in civil life.

Then I spread the waterproof sheet on the ground, while the Quartermaster's Batman dumped the rations on it. The Corporal was smoking a fag. I carried the rations back to the billet. The Corporal was still smoking a fag. How I envied him. But when the issue commenced my envy died and I realized that the first requisite of a non-commissioned officer on active service is diplomacy. There were 19 men in our section, and they soon formed a semi-circle around us after the Corporal had called out "Rations up."

The Quartermaster-Sergeant had given a slip to the Corporal on which was written a list of the rations. Sitting on the floor, using a wooden box as a table, the issue commenced. On the left of the Corporal the rations were piled. They consisted of the following:

Six loaves of bread, each loaf of a different size, perhaps one out of the six being as flat as a pancake the result of an Army Service Corps man placing a box of bully beef on it during transportation.

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"OVER THE TOP"

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By SERGT. ARTHUR GUY EMPEY.

Humors of the "Mess;" Trench Pudding Not All That the Name Indicated

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CHAPTER VII.

RATIONS.

JUST before dozing off, Mr. Lance-Corporal butted in.

In Tommy's eyes, a Lance-Corporal is one degree below a private. In the Corporal's eyes, he is one degree above a General.

He ordered me to go with him and help him draw the next day's rations, also told me to take my waterproof.

Every evening from each platoon or machine-gun section, a Lance-Corporal and private goes to the Quartermaster Sergeant at the company stores and draws rations for the following day.

The "Quarter," as the Quartermaster-Sergeant is called, receives daily from the orderly room (Captain's office) a slip showing the number of men entitled to rations, so there is no chance of putting anything over on him. Many arguments take place between the "Quarter" and the platoon Non-Com, but the former always wins out. Tommy says the "Quarter" got his job because he was a burglar in civil life.

Then I spread the waterproof sheet on the ground, while the Quartermaster's Batman dumped the rations on it. The Corporal was smoking a fag. I carried the rations back to the billet. The Corporal was still smoking a fag. How I envied him! But when the issue commenced my envy died and I realized that the first requisite of a non-commissioned officer on active service is diplomacy. There were 19 men in our section, and they soon formed a semi-circle round us after the Corporal had called out "Rations up."

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"Biscuits, tins, one."

With his borrowed jackknife, the Corporal opened the tin of biscuits, and told everyone to help themselves—nobody responded to this invitation. Tommy is "fed up" with biscuits.

"Butter, tins, two."

"Nine in one, 10 in the other."

Another rumpus.

"Pickles, mustard, bottles, one."

Raffle for Rations.

Nineteen names were put in a steel helmet, the last one out winning the pickles. On the next issue there were only 18 names, as the winner is eliminated until every man in the section has won a bottle.

The raffle is closely watched, because Tommy is suspicious when it comes to gambling with his rations.

When the issue is finished, the Corporal sits down and writes a letter home, asking them if they cannot get some M. P. (Member of Parliament) to have him transferred to the Royal Flying Corps, where he won't have to issue rations.

At the different French estaminets in the village, and at the canteens, Tommy buys fresh eggs, milk, bread and pastry. Occasionally, when he is flush, he invests in a tin of pears or apricots. His pay is only a shilling a day, 24 cents, or 1 cent an hour. Just imagine, 1 cent an hour for being under fire. Not much chance of getting rich out there.

When he goes into the fire trench (front line), Tommy's menu takes a tumble. He carries in his haversack what the Government calls emergency or iron rations. They are not supposed to be opened until Tommy dies of starvation. They consist of one tin of bully beef, four biscuits, a little tin which contains tea, sugar and Oxo cubes (concentrated beef tablets). These are only to be used when the enemy establishes a curtain of shell fire on the communication trenches, thus preventing the "carrying in" of rations, or when in an attack, a body of troops has been cut off from its base of supplies.

The rations are brought up, at night, by the company transport. This is a section of the company in charge of the Quartermaster-Sergeant, composed of men, mules and limbers (two-wheeled wagons), which supplies Tommy's wants while in the front line. They are constantly under shell fire. The rations are unloaded at the entrance to the communication trenches and are "carried in" by men detailed for that purpose. The Quartermaster-Sergeant never goes into the front-line trench. He doesn't have to, and I have never heard of one volunteering to do so.

The company Sergeant-Major sorts the rations and sends them in.

Tommy's trench rations consist of all the bully beef he can eat, biscuits, cheese, tinned butter (sometimes 17 men to a tin), jam or marmalade and occasionally fresh bread (10 to a loaf). When it is possible he gets tea and stew.

Trench Pudding, Ugh!

When things are quiet, and Fritz is behaving like a gentleman, which seldom happens, Tommy has the opportunity of making dessert. This is "trench pudding." It is made from broken biscuits, condensed milk, jam—a little water added, slightly flavored with mud—put into a canteen and cooked over a little spirit stove known as "Tommy's cooker."

(A firm in Blighty widely advertises these cookers as a necessity for the men in the trenches. Gullible people buy them—ship them to the Tommies, who immediately upon receipt of same, throw them over the parapet. Sometimes a Tommy falls for the ad, and uses the cooker in a dugout to the disgust and discomfort of the other occupants.)

This mess is stirred up in a tin and allowed to simmer over the flames from the cooker until Tommy decides that it has reached a sufficient (gluelike) consistency. He takes his bayonet and by means of the handle carries the mess up in the front trench to cool. After it has cooled off he tries to eat it. Generally one or two Tommies in a section have cast-iron stomachs and the tin is soon emptied. Once I tasted trench pudding, but only once.

In addition to the regular ration issue Tommy uses another channel to enlarge his menu.

In the English papers a "Lonely Soldier" column is run. This is for the soldiers at the front who are supposed to be without friends or relatives. They write to the papers and their names are published. Girls and women in England answer them, and send out parcels of foodstuffs, cigarettes, candy, etc., I have known a "lonely" soldier to receive as many as five parcels and 11 letters in one week.

CHAPTER VIII.

THE LITTLE WOODEN CROSS.

AFTER remaining in rest billets for eight days we received the unwelcome tidings that the next morning we would "go in" to "take over." At 6 in the morning our march started and, after a long march down the dusty road, we again arrived at reserve billets.

I was No. 1 in the leading set of 4's. The man on my left was named "Pete Walling," a cheery sort of fellow. He laughed and joked all the way on the march, buoyed up my drooping spirits. I could not figure out anything attractive in again occupying the front line, but Pete did not seem to mind, said it was all in a lifetime. My left heel was blistered from the rubbing of my heavy marching boot. Pete noticed that I was limping and offered to carry my rifle, but by this time I had learned the ethics of the march in the British army and courteously refused his offer.

Death of His Comrade.

We had gotten half-way through the communication trench, Pete in my immediate rear. He had his hand on my shoulder, as men in a communication trench have to keep in touch with each other. We had just climbed over a bashed-in part of the trench when in our rear a man tripped over a loose signal wire, and let out an oath. As usual, Pete rushed to his help. To reach the fallen man, he had to cross this bashed-in part. A bullet cracked in the air and I ducked. Then a moan from the rear. My heart stood still. I went back and Pete was lying on the ground; by the aid of my flashlight, I saw that he had his hand pressed to his right breast. The fingers were covered with blood. I flashed the light on his face, and in its glow a grayish-blue color was stealing over his countenance. Pete looked up at me and said: "Well, Yank, they've done me in. I can feel myself going West." His voice was getting fainter and I had to kneel down to get the words. Then he gave me a message to write home to his mother and his sweetheart, and I, like a great big boob, cried like a baby. I was losing my first friend of the trenches.

Word was passed to the rear for a stretcher. He died before it arrived. Two of us put the body on the stretcher and carried it to the nearest first-aid post, where the doctor took an official record of Pete's name, number, rank, and regiment from his identy disk, this to be used in the Casualty Lists and notification to his family.

We left Pete there, but it broke our hearts to do so. The doctor informed us that we could bury him the next morning. That afternoon, five of the boys of our section, myself included, went to the little ruined village in the rear and from the deserted gardens of the French chateaux gathered grass and flowers. From these we made a wreath.

While the boys were making this wreath, I sat under a shot-scarred apple tree and carved out the following verse on a little wooden shield which we nailed on Pete's cross.

True to his God; true to Britain,
Doing his duty to the last.
Just one more name to be written
On the Roll of Honor of heroes passed—

Passed to their God, enshrined in glory.
Entering life of eternal rest,
One more chapter in England's story
Of her sons doing their best.
Rest, you soldier, mate so true,
Never forgotten by us below;
Know that we are thinking of you,
Ere to our rest we are bidden to go.

Next morning the whole section went over to say good-by to Pete, and laid him away to rest.

German Shell Fire a Requiem.

After each one had a look at the face of the dead, a Corporal of the R. A. M. C. sewed up the remains in a blanket. Then placing two heavy ropes across the stretcher (to be used in lowering the body into the grave), we lifted Pete onto the stretcher and reverently covered him with a large Union Jack, the flag he had died for.

The Chaplain led the way, then came the officers of the section, followed by two of the men carrying a wreath. Immediately after came poor Pete on the flag-draped stretcher, carried by four soldiers. I was one of the four. Behind the stretcher, in column of fours, came the remainder of the section.

To get to the cemetery, we had to pass through the little shell-destroyed village, where troops were hurrying to and fro.

As the funeral procession passed these troops came to the "attention," and smartly saluted the dead.

Poor Pete was receiving the only salute a Private is entitled to "somewhere in France."

Now and again a shell from the German lines would go whistling over the village to burst in our artillery lines in the rear.

When we reached the cemetery, we halted in front of an open grave, and laid the stretcher beside it. Forming a hollow square around the opening of the grave, the Chaplain read the burial service.

German machine-gun bullets were "cracking" in the air above us, but Pete didn't mind, and neither did we.

When the body was lowered into the grave the flag having been removed, we clicked our heels together and came to the salute.

I left before the grave was filled in. I could not bear to see the dirt thrown on the blanket-covered face of my comrade. On the western front there are no coffins, and you are lucky to get a blanket to protect you from the wet and the worms. Several of the section stayed and decorated the grave with white stones.

That night, in the light of a lonely candle in the machine gunner's dugout of the front-line trench, I wrote two letters. One to Pete's mother, the other to his sweetheart. While doing this I cursed the Prussian war god with all my heart, and I think St. Peter noted same.

The machine gunners in the dugout were laughing and joking. To them, Pete was unknown. Pretty soon, in the warmth of their merriment, my blues disappeared. One soon forgets on the Western front.

Continued in the Post-Dispatch Tomorrow.

WOMAN RECRUITING AGENT SENDS IN 27 MEN TO NAVY

MRS. FRANK W. CHURCH

MRS. FRANK W. CHURCH of Jefferson City, who has sent 27 prospective recruits to the St. Louis naval recruiting station, since she was commissioned as a district recruiting agent five weeks ago, has written an interesting letter to Capt. E. A. Brooks. Capt. Brooks was so gratified by her work that he asked her for a description of herself.

She wrote: "Age, 31; weight, 107; hair, auburn (some say red); disposition, like the weather in April—showers and sunshine; what do best—cook, keep house, read and talk; nickname, Teddy R. Jr."

Describing her work, she says: "I am not rich. I do all my housework; baking, washing, ironing and darning socks. Therefore, when I told you my time was as valuable as yours, I told the truth. Am obeying your orders to send my photograph, which is more than I do for my husband.

"I organized the Jefferson City Boy Scouts, got 50 memberships for the Red Cross, and wrote all the Mayor's letters in the Red Cross campaign.

"My grandfather marched from Georgia to the sea with Sherman; my great-grandfather was chaplain in the Civil War, four of my great uncles were in the navy and five in the army. My father fought in the Indian uprising of 1890. I am the last—and a woman."

Fifteen of the men sent by Mrs. Church were accepted, and 12 were rejected upon physical examination. Mrs. Shields R. Smith, of Sedalia, who was commissioned earlier than Mrs. Church, has sent in 20 men who are in service. There are 273 women recruiting agents in the State.

Sayings of Mrs. Solomon

BY HELEN ROWLAND

VERILY, verily, my Daughter, who is so pitiful as a bachelor of thirty-five?

For his "single blessedness" is as a counterfeit quarter; he knoweth not whether to hold onto it, to give it away or to throw it away.

And all his nights are spent in the bitter regret that he did not marry, and all his days in the torturing fear that he may be tempted to marry; and he knoweth of no woman, whether to pursue her or to free from her!

Behold, in Babylon there dwelt one of these; and the years of his youth had been spent in the collecting of strange junk which he called "antiques" and "objets d'art."

Lo, his heart was as a mummy, wrapped up in Persian rugs and Chinese embroideries and French tapestries, and his rooms resembled a curiosity shop, filled with ancient bronzes and carved teakwood and quaint candlesticks and old ivories.

Now, many times he came unto me bringing his latest trophy from the junkshop, to rejoice over it.

Yet each time his joy grew less, until at last he could hold back his fears no longer, but wept, saying:

"Alas, alas, my Mother! WHAT shall become of me? For I know in my heart that some day I shall marry! And each treasure that I possess but increaseth my torment and my dread, lest it be my FATE to marry the kind of damsel that doteth on mahogany furniture and pink silk candle shades, and bluebird china, and Robert Chambers, and embroidered doilies, and Maxfield Parrish prints, and wicker tea-wagons, and nouveau art cretonnes and family photographs!

"And, lo, my inlaid smoking stand shall be cast out to make room for a Martha Washington sewing table, and my Buddha of gold and jade from a royal palace shall be sold to give place to a phonograph!

"And HOW shall I endure it!"

And I greeted his sorrow with ha-has, and answered him mockingly, saying:

"Go to, thou son of Benedict! For thou hast named the punishment which thou deservest and which Hymen shall mete out unto thee!

"For, lo, if thou hadst married at the marrying SEASON, when Love was young, thou shouldst never have found the time nor the wherewithal to COLLECT all these strange gods and foolish fads whereon thou hast wasted thy shekels and thine affections! Or, having the time and the money, she and thou would have collected them TOGETHER, and have been happy together, worshipping the same gods!

"But, since thou hast chosen to build thy temple and set up thine own idols as a single-footer, I charge thee cast them aside before thou darest to marry ANY woman!

"For Bigamy is its own punishment.

"And no man can be wedded to a WOMAN and at the same time to a collection of antiques, or junk, or butterflies, or habits, and not suffer untold sorrows!"

Verily, verily, he may "travel fastest who traveleth alone," but the fear of his own FOLLY is always with him. And a little Bachelor is a pitiful thing!

Selah.

Italians Give Gold to Nation.

ALMOST 1000 pounds of gold has been donated to the Italian Treasury Department during the last four months in the form of ornaments, old coins and family jewelry.

The golden crown of Prince Amedeo, the father of the Duke of Abruzzi, was one of the gifts originating in the City of Turin.

Venice so far has led all the cities of Italy with 220 pounds of gold. Florence has given 90 pounds, Milan 200 pounds, Brescia 55 pounds, Rome 100 pounds and Turin about 180 pounds.

Grown Up to Short Dresses.

HUB (meeting wife downtown): What makes you so late?

Wife: I stopped to shorten one of daughters dresses for the party she's going to tonight. I can hardly realize that she's quite grown up now."—New York American.

To grow old gracefully one must not let one's thoughts dwell upon the growing old.—Albany Journal.

Those who are adepts at giving advice seldom appear to have profited by it.—Milwaukee News.

THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TONIGHT

By MRS. F. A. WALKER.

LAFAYETTE—Part I.

ALTHOUGH that is a name big enough for a big man, the Lafayette I shall tell you about is a dog—a French poodle, and for short they called him Fay.

One day Fay was lying on a blue silk cushion in a window seat that faced the yard, and hearing a bark outside, he aroused himself and looked out.

It was the bark of a yellow, shaggy-looking dog chasing a cat.

The yellow dog barked and jumped at a big cat standing on top of a fence with her back humped up and tail bristling with anger.

But jump as the dog would, he could not make the cat move. Suddenly Fay heard a loud bark, and, to his surprise, his nose went bump against the window. It was he who had done the barking this time.

A maid came running to Fay to see what was the matter. "Oh! Fay, must not bark at the horrid cat and dirty-looking dog," she said, patting him.

Fay lay down with a sigh. Something had come over him.

Then Fay began to think. "Lafayette," he said; "now what a name to give to a dog;

"My coat, too, is awful; all curly and long and white, too.

"All the dogs in the park look at me with a grin when I go out with that maid, and I used to think I looked so handsome that they were envious, but now I know they were just making fun of me.

"I don't wonder when I have to wear a different colored bow every day on my collar.

"I just won't stand it another day." growled Fay.

"What in the world is the matter with you this morning?" said the maid, running to Fay again. "I never heard you bark and growl like this before."

FAY only winked his eyes, but his tail wagged in a manner that plainly said if the maid had only understood that he would show her when she took him out that morning. By and by the maid came back again; dressed for the morning walk. She had tied a pink bow on his collar and also snapped on the leash.

Fay jumped down and followed her with a forlorn air. He was ashamed of his looks for the first time. When they reached the park, two stray dogs jumped out from the bushes and gave a bark and growl at Fay. It was too much. His fighting blood was up and as the maid was not paying attention to her charge, Fay had no trouble in pulling the leash from her hand, and off he went. Fay made short work of the two dogs.

"What fun!" thought Fay. "I am going to run away where that maid will never again find me. Oh! I wish I could find a cat."

With leaps and bounds Fay ran over the grass and was soon out of sight of the maid and the policeman, who did their best to call him and head off his run.

On a cross street a newsboy stopped Fay and tried to hold him to read the name on his handsome collar, but somehow Fay managed to slip out of the collar and at last he was free.

The frightened boy gave the collar to the policeman who saw him try to catch the dog, and off they ran after Fay, for they were sure there would be a good reward given for his return.

But return was the last thing that was in Fay's mind; he was running away and he did not want to return. What he wanted most at that moment was to find a cat.

Tomorrow I will tell you what happened to Fay.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

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James Russell Lowell's Epitaph Written by Himself.

IN his "Journal," now published by Houghton-Mifflin Co., T. Russell Sullivan tells of James Russell Lowell's funeral, at which Holmes, Curtis, Eliot, Norton and Howells were among the pallbearers. "The trees rustled against the open window in the gray light of a very dull day, until suddenly, just at the end, there came a burst of sunshine through the leaves," he says. Four years later, Mr. Sullivan dined with Aldrich, and the latter showed him his valuable collection of manuscripts and letters. "After swearing me to secrecy, he took from its hiding place an interesting document—Lowell's epitaph by himself written in the author's hand on a drawing of a tombstone, and beginning:

"'Here lies that part of J. R. L
Which hampered him from doing well.'"

Two, of Course.

AN official who was making up an assessment roll because of some recent street improvements called at each house on the improved streets to learn the names of the property owners. At one house he climbed out of his car, went to the door and knocked.

"Who owns this property?" he asked.

"Why, I do," the woman answered.

The official got her name and put it down in his book. Then he took a squint at the size of the lot.

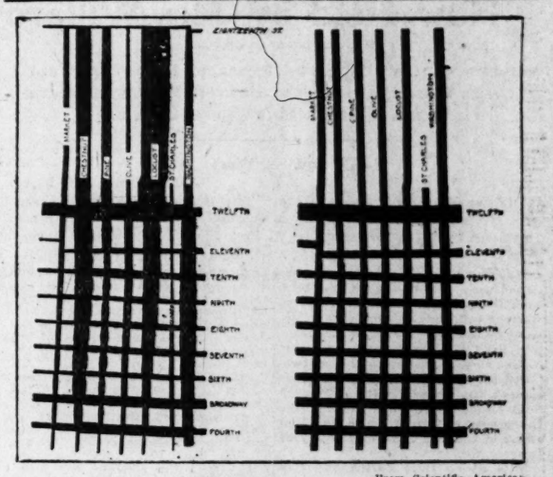
"How many feet?" he asked.

"Two, of course!" the woman snapped, wondering whether he thought she was a centipede.—Indianapolis News.

What dumfounds us is how a woman can talk a blue streak and knit a soldier sock, and never get the "yarns" mixed—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

After you get by Monday the rest of the week doesn't seem so bad.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

"Scientific American" in Praise of St. Louis' Move to Prevent Accidents



From Scientific American.

St. Louis traffic map. At the left the streets are shown according to the traffic carried; at the right according to width.

"SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN," the leading journal of its kind in the United tSates, devoted to recording the latest scientific, mechanical and industrial news of the day, in its weekly issue of Jan. 5, has a full page account, with illustrations of the movement conducted in St. Louis to prevent street accidents. The title of the article, written by C. L. Edholm, is "Scientific Accident Prevention in the Large City; Some of the Means of Attaining This End Developed in St. Louis." Following is the article:

THERE may be a time when we will look back to the period of avoidable street accidents with feelings of wonder that they were tolerated so long. The list of deaths and accidents causing serious injury grows longer day by day, but as it is difficult to place the responsibility in most cases, very little is done to remedy matters. Perhaps the best showing in accident elimination has been made in St. Louis, under the direction of Charles M. Talbert of the Board of Public Service. Mr. Talbert has attacked the problem by charting the points of greatest danger in the network of streets just as hidden rocks and shoals are charted for the benefit of seamen. After finding out where the most accidents occurerd, it was possible to discover the reason for them, and in many cases to eliminate the cause, or at least to warn the public of its presence.

On a large map of St. Louis the places where street accidents occurred are indicated by spots; large spots show where many mishaps occur and small ones show where they happen less frequently. The records of the Police Department and the Street Railway Company supply the figures. The spotted map surprised the police and some others who thought they were supplying the best possible protection, for many corners that were thought to be fairly safe showed a casualty list as great as that on the dangerous crossings that were guarded by traffic police.

Investigation revealed causes that were not suspected. In several cases it was found that the car sheds of the railway company were responsible; cars backing in and out resulted in collisions or other trouble. In other danger spots it was found that the conditions of the street were at fault; so here an awkward jog was straightened, and there a high crowned roadway with asphalt surface was reduced to prevent skidding.

Where conditions could not be remedied so simply, it was at least possible to warn the police and the public that certain corners were dangerous. It is being considered, and the proposal may be carried out, to place traffic signs at the approach to such points, in some such form as this: "Eighty accidents here last year! Be careful."

AN unusual chart of traffic conditions was prepared that shows the volume of traffic on each block of the downtown section. A comparison with an ordinary map drawn to scale makes it clear that there are certain points and owen certain streets of undue congestion; and measures will be taken to guard these.

Two mechanical devices for the prevention of street accidents were developed and found to be practical. The first was the result of traffic policemen being struck by the automobiles they were supposed to regulate. The imperfect lighting of the streets, with many conflicting rays coming from various directions, made it difficult for the motorist to see the traffic policeman's signal or even to observe him at all, and consequently several officers were injured while on duty.

The solution of this problem was correct lighting of the street intersection, so that the signals might be seen clearly; and as a light from the side would cause a glare, it was decided to direct it from above. Accordingly a powerful searchlight was placed in an upper story of a nearby building, where it would project its rays down upon the officer. As an additional safeguard, the use of a white waterproof coat and white gloves with large gauntlets has been adopted for rainy or foggy weather. Half a dozen searchlights of this description are now in use at the dangerous corners, and this type of accident is greatly reduced.

IN order to standardize the headlights of automobiles and eliminate glare, a cabinet was devised for testing the lamps. The box is 5 feet high, 3 feet wide and 2½ feet deep. A slot in the front admits light from the headlights, which falls upon a "test curtain" within the cabinet, and this can be observed through a peep hole at the side. After selecting a car on which the lights were just right, the machine was placed at a measured distance from the cabinet and its lamps were directed upon the slot. Back of the test curtain was an electric lamp, and by means of a rheostat this was regulated so that its light balanced exactly with that of the automobile lamps selected as standard. In testing the headlights of cars, the rays upon the test curtain are observed through the peep hole, and if they show brighter than the light within, at the point where the two lights meet, then the headlight is considered glaring and must be reduced. If the auto light shows dim beside the standard light, it must be increased.

When the two lights balance, the car owner receives a card stating that his lamps have been passed upon, and this may be pasted on the lens of the headlight, serving as a certificate for the inspection of traffic officers.

It is planned to develop this system in co-operation with other large cities and decide upon a standard that will be accepted by all. Bulletins will be issued by the National Committee from time to time, bearing on the problems of safety in the streets, and suggestions will be welcomed for plans to reduce the number of accidents. Not only by city ordinances and mechanical devices, but also by a campaign of education, it is hoped that the public will be induced to use greater care; the pedestrian as well as the driver of motor vehicles and street cars.

We had a hunch the first sailor in our navy to win the medal of honor would be named Mike. And here, bedad, it is Pat!—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

A girl may refuse a man because she feels sure that he will propose again, but a widow seldom takes chances.—Chicago News.

Even the fellow who can't distinguish between the right and wrong knows the difference being right and being left.—Philadelphia Record.

Many a girl with a freckled face has a clear conscience. And that is something that seldom gets into the papers.—Los Angeles Times.

As to Second Lieutenants, it is the opinion of many a girl that of such is the kingdom of heaven.—Columbia (S. C.) State.

The technical expert is a person who compiles figures to prove what a practical man knows already.—Binghamton Press.

Few are they who can distinguish between seizing an opportunity and taking a chance.—Deseret News.

Newest Things in Science

An ounce of sugar of lead to a pail of water will help fix the blue color in many textiles.

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The development of water power in Norway has made electricity cheaper than steam in that country.

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France is the best foreign patron of the United States Patent Office, with Great Britain following closely.

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A recently patented cigar holder is little more than a pair of hinged jaws controlled by a spring.

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Iron imbedded in concrete in Germany has been found to be free from rust after more than 45 years.

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Rapid cooling of a liquid produces fine crystals; the slower it changes form the larger the crystals.

In most happy homes you'll find that the well-behaved child is the one that's asleep.—Binghamton Press.

Fred Fulton, the Minnesota Plasterer, Smeared It All Over "Texas" Tate

Fulton Proves That He Is Real Contender for Honors Now Held by Jess Willard

Minnesota Plasterer Wipes Out Stigma of Defeat by "Texas" Tate, by Stopping McCarney's "Hope" With Powerful Lefts in Second of Scheduled 12-Round Bout.

By John E. Wray.

JOPLIN, Mo., Jan. 11.

THE pugilistic star of Harry "Texas" Tate, which flashed into unexpected effulgence last Christmas day, as suddenly went out here last night, extinguished by the all-powerful left of Fred Fulton, heavyweight champion claimant.

Halfway through the second period of the scheduled 12-round bout with Tate gasping on the floor, stretched prone by powerful left-hand smashes of the giant Minnesotan, Billy McCarney tossed a towel in the ring, a token that he surrendered all hope for his man. Heedless of the towel, Referee Tommy Sullivan continued his count over the prostrate fighter until the final swing of his arm reached the key of number ten.

Tate at no time during the five minutes of actual fighting had the semblance of a chance, nor did he give any indication of the merit claimed for him in his previous meeting with Willard's nemesis.

Outclassed in height by three inches, in weight by 20 pounds and in boxing skill by many points, he was putty in the hands of the cool and deliberate giant, Fulton.

Tate Is Totally Outclassed.

When the men stepped to the center of the ring the discrepancy in size was apparent, but it wasn't a marker to the discrepancy in fighting ability that developed before many seconds had elapsed. At the sound of the starting gong, Fulton slouched lazily to the center of the ring, reaching out a left that seemed as long as a wagon tongue. He tentatively let it lick out like a tongue of flame. Back went Tate's head. Not disconcerted, Tate dashed in suddenly and released a couple of wild swings, one of which landed on Fulton's head.

Billy McCarney shouted from Tate's corner: "I told you so!" Fulton calmly replied with a left that almost wrenched the roof off the Tate edifice. One fan said he could hear the vertebraes creak. Without pulling back for a new lead, Fulton turned the straight left into a hook and almost crumpled up Tate.

The Texan was game and rushed crowding Fulton back against the ropes, but his wild swings went around Fred's neck. The Minnesotian took hold of his opponent and gently, but firmly untangled him from a clinch and then rained left jabs on his powerless foe. Backward across the ring Tate tangoed, pawing futilely to stop Fulton's crushing left which worked back and forth like a piston. Near a neutral corner, Fulton thought Tate was about ripe for his goodnight punch. He crossed over his right. It missed by the fraction of an inch, or the fight might not have gone into the second round.

Fulton used only his left for the remainder of the fight, but Tate was looking wildly around for a way out when the gong mercifully rang.

Collins States That He Will Go to Chicago to Accept Willard's Terms

FULTON came out more earnestly in the second round and it was apparent he meant to end it quickly. He immediately started to drive lefts into Tate's face. The Texan made a few wild rushes, but each time was straightened by that terrible prod which struck him like a pole ax and as unerringly as a rifle shot. Having dazed his man into a receptive mood, the deliberate and workmanlike Fulton decided that it was time to crown his own efforts.

He unleased an over-hand right that was headed for Tate's jaw. Tate shifted slightly so that the pile driving blow hit him squarely on the crown of the head. Slowly his legs gave away beneath him and he sank to the floor. He was up again, but before his dazed faculties could clear, Fulton had lashed out with his left and with no apparent effort put into it, it struck Tate on the jaw and sent him down in collapse. This time he took the full count, coming up weakly to go into a clinch.

The powerful arms of Fulton unwrapped the desperate grip of his opponent and, coldly measuring his opponent, the title candidate delivered a hard left hook to his opponent's body. The blow did not appear to carry any unusual weight. It struck Tate in his right side just above the short ribs and hurled him to the floor, where he turned slowly over on his side. Referee Tommy Sullivan pushed Fulton aside and began the count. At three, the towel came winging into the ring, but Sullivan went on with the toll, taking no chance that some unauthorized person might have tossed in the truce signal.

Tate Had No Chance.

The fight told plainly that the Little Rock fiasco in which Tate was said to have had the better of Fulton while the go lasted, was misrepresented. Tate last night had no more chance with Fulton than did Jack Moran who went three rounds with the Minnesota Titan at Federal League Park last summer.

Fulton's real capabilities were in no way tested by the bout here and Tate's right to an engagement with him was based solely on the misunderstanding at Little Rock.

"I had to wipe out that stigma," Fulton said last night and that was the only reason that I made the match. We came up here on a thirty per cent gamble with the management and did not care much whether we made anything out of it or not. I wanted to show up this four-flusher who sent out false reports about our previous bout."

Will Go After Willard Next.

Mike Collins, manager of Fulton, said last night: "We are going to Chicago in a few days and will there accept Willard's offer to fight for the championship, Red Cross or some army service to take all the receipts. Fulton is by no means rich, but we want to find out just how honest Willard's intentions are."

Despite a blizzard which has been raging all day, deterring machine parties from the mining district from coming into the city, the Southwest Athletic Club which staged the fight was crowded. Jimmy Bronson, the promoter, well known in St. Louis, said after the fight that the receipts were above his expectations and amounted to something likt $3000. Of this, Fulton and Tate each received $900.

Al Monterey of St. Louis figured in the preliminary to the Fulton-Tate go last night. He gave away considerable weight and one clever beating to Jack Delaney of Kansas City. Although the rule concerning both bouts were "clean breaks," kidney punches barred, Delaney fought a rough foul fight, the referee making no effort to correct him. Monterey took it uncomplainingly, evaded the wild swings of his opponent and outfought his opponent throughout, punishing him in several rounds.

Simon and Farrar Picked to Decide City Angle Title

Rex and Arata Entries in City League Have Retained Clean Slates Thus Far.

Present indications are that the city three-cushion title will be decided between Johnny Simon of the Rex and Elmer Farrar of Arata's. Farrar last night won his third straight game by defeating Thomas Sperry of the Maryland, 50 to 47, although it required 110 innings to accomplish it.

The result put Farrar in a tie for first place with Simon. Each has won all of his three games. The match last night netted $50.45 for the Billiard Players' Ambulance Fund.

One of the best games of the tournament thus far should result tonight at the Rex, when Johnny Simon plays Allen of the Grand. Allen has won two of his three games and if he can defeat Simon tonight, it will put Farrar in the lead.

In their previous meeting, Simon won, 50 to 47, showing that the players are evenly matched. The race is rapidly nearing the finish and should be completed by the end of next week. The present standing of the players:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Simon, Rex	3	0	1000
Farrar, Arata's	3	0	1000
Allen, Grand	2	1	.667
Hellmich, Peterson's	0	3	.000
Sperry, Maryland	0	4	.000

SPRINT STAR IN SERVICE.

DES MOINES, Io., Jan. 11.—Charles Hoyt, the Grinnel (Io.) college sprinter and joint holder of the world's record in the 220-yard dash on a curved track, is now in the navy. He and his brother, Cress Hoyt, Grinnell football man, enlisted here late yesterday as landsmen in the quartermaster's aviation corps.

Bowlers to Form Company to Boost A. B. C. Tourney

Teams Will Be Selected to Sell Stock to Bring 1919 Event to This City.

At a monster meeting and smoker tendered the bowlers of St. Louis at the Missouri A. A. last night, which was attended by more than 200 enthusiasts, it was definitely voted to bid for the 1919 rolling of the American Bowling Congress tournament. It was decided to form a stock company, and more than 100 shares were pledged at last night's gathering.

A committee of 14 was selected to handle the affairs until the company is formed. This committee is composed of H. C. Menne, chairman; C. C. Hausknecht, treasurer; F. L. Schleicher, secretary; Bobby Byrne, Brace Jarrett, Otto Stein Jr., Martin Kern, Charles Barker, E. J. Mueller, J. C. Ameling, R. D. W. Baldauf, W. H. Musick, D. J. Sweeney, Jack Beresford and W. A. Patterson.

Each member of the committee was instructed to appoint two other members to form a team to obtain subscriptions. Several of these already have been formed.

It was announced at last night's meeting that 13 teams had pledged their entry for the Cincinnati tournament for Feb. 21 and 22. It was also stated that more than 100 fives were assured for the city scratch tournament.

Scruggs League Enters.

The Scruggs-Vandervoort and Barney Bowling League has joined the City Association and has entered two quintets in the scratch tournament. The two best fives in the circuit will strive for honors in the city event.

To sell that automobile use a Post-Dispatch Want Ad.

SPORT SALAD BY J. C. Davis

Try This on Your Uke.

(Turkey in the Straw.)

OH, there is no hope for the tribe of Mack;
He sold his stars for a wad of "jack."
And the Philly fans are so goldarned sore
That they're hanging crepe on the cellar door.

Chorus.

They're hanging crepe on the cellar door!
Hanging crepe on the cellar door!
Oh, the Philly fans are so goldarn sore,
That they're hanging crepe on the cellar door.

Oh, he sold Joe Bush, Wallie Schang and Strunk,
Then he told McInnis to pack his trunk;
And the Philly fans made an awful roar,
When he clinched the nails in the cellar door.

Chorus.

When he clinched the nails in the cellar door!
Clinched the nails in the cellar door!
And the Philly fans made an awful roar,
When he clinched the nails in the cellar door.

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Nice Work.

Plasterer Fulton, seeing "Texas" Tate's slats exposed, immediately got on the job. He finished it up in jig time.

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There Goes Stuffy!

Connie Mack has sold "Stuffy" McInnis to the Red Sox. Connie may now truthfully say he has sold his last ball player.

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Connie is beyond peradventure the best little Sales Manager in the American League.

The sale of McInnis marks McGillicuddy as the guy who put the "sell" in cellar.

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Charley Weinert won a decision over Gunboat Smith the other evening in Providence, R. I. They're always pulling something funny in Providence, R. I.

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Snow may be a little inconvenient but don't forget that it is good for the wheat crop.

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You Bet.

With bumper crops of corn and wheat
We'll soon make Kaiser Bill retreat.

Dr. John Lavan, the eminent sawbones and shortstop, has signed with Washington (D. C.) for the Medical Reserve Corps.

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The Doctor had been sold by the Browns to the Washington, B. C. (ball club) without the formality of asking Uncle Sam for waivers.

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Grim Humor.

The Kaiser assures the Poles that he always has been the champion of humanity. Some joke, that. A regular Joe Mueller.

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If Bill cracks one or two more like that he may be able to get a few weeks in vaudeville.

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See where the "Tangled C" is going to try and get straightened out with the Western A. A. U.

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Evolution.

MARY had a little lamb
That cunning capers cut;
But it grew up to be a ram
Wtih the accent on the butt.

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A Shell Game.

Eggs have gone to 70 cents a dozen due to the shutting down for the winter of many egg plants.

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We now have 1,500,000 men under arms. They didn't "spring to arms over night" as there were no arms for them to spring to.

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The Kaiser, through one of his mouthpieces, has declared that "might is right." That being the case the only thing for Uncle Sam to do is soak him RIGHT in the snoot with all his MIGHT.

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An ideal map from a German viewpoint would be the world "all bound round by a Hindenburg line."

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Connie Mack having disposed of his ball club can now give a few gate keepers the gate.

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Connie has nothing to worry about. He can't go any lower than he is and if he moves up a peg he will be hailed as a miracle man.

DE ORO RUNS FOUR AND GAINS LEAD OVER OTIS

HAVANA, Jan. 11.—Alfredo de Oro, the world champion three cushion billiardist, last night won the first block in the championship match with Charles Otis of Brooklyn. Otis was leading by a score of 49 to 46 when De Oro made four points and ran out the block. De Oro was nervous in the first part of the match and failed to make a point until the fifteenth inning, at which time Otis had a lead of 14.

President Menocal, accompanied by his son and aides, was a spectator. Both players were introduced to him before the game.

Each man had a high run of four. The Spanish Minister to Cuba refereed the match.

EAGAN TO MEET DOWNEY.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Joe Eagan of Boston and Byron Downey of Columbus have been matched for another 10-round bout to take place within three weeks in the Milwaukee arena where their recent contests was staged.

PAULETTE ACCEPTS TERMS AND SIGNS FOR NEXT SEASON

First Sacker Is Third Member of Cardinals Under Contract for 1918.

Lawler Gets Position With Red Sox; Local Clubs Need Trainers

BOTH local baseball clubs are without a trainer. Martin ("Pike") Lawlor, for many years chief massage artist for the Browns, yesterday accepted a job with the Red Sox according to a report from Boston, thus leaving the local club in the same position as the Cardinals.

Bob Quinn has not yet returned to the city, consequently no information as to Lawlor's successor could be obtained. Tommy Brammell, an expert in training matters, is an applicant for the position with the Cardinals and it is said has better than an even chance of landing it. Brammell's candidacy is looked upon with favor because he is a strict St. Louis product and fits in with the Cardinal Idea.

Gene Paulette, Cardinal first sacker, has signed a contract with the local club for the coming season, according to an announcement from President Branch Rickey this morning. So far as is known, Paulette is the third member of Hendricks' club to attach his signature to a document for next season. Oscar Horstman, pitcher, who signed for two years, and Bob Wallace are the others.

In making the announcement about Paulette, Rickey emphasized the point that he had not sent out any contracts for the coming season and that Paulette signed without any solicitation on the part of his employers. Manager Hendricks stated this morning that he was much pleased at Paulette's decision.

Breakers Ahead.

Rickey, of course has not tackled the biggest jobs ahead of him in the matter of signing players. These are getting Rogers Hornsby to come through and then exerting influence on Frank Snyder. After these tasks are completed, Rickey will feel more at ease, although the Cardinal executive has consistently maintained that he will reach an agreement with the two players at the proper time.

Jack Smith, the Fleet, is about the city, but hasn't conferred with Rickey recently concerning his contract. Jack says there is a difference of opinion concerning salary and Rickey admits it's true. However, Smith cannot be classed as a holdout, for the simple reason that no contract has been tendered him.

Jack opines his work with the Cardinals last season entitles him to more compensation. That's a matter for debate between himself and Rickey, but the youngster unquestionably has a strong claim and Rickey is broad-minded enough to know it.

Manager Hendricks has established temporary winter quarters at the Planters Hotel. His wife and family will come here early next week and then Jack will be a full-fledged citizen of St. Louis.

Hendricks Wants Utility Man.

Hendricks stated yesterday that the Cardinals were in the market for a good utility player. "I want a man," said Jack, "who can play any position on the infield and who can play it just a little better than the regular on the job. I am a firm believer in the old saying that a ball club is no better than its substitutes.

"I think I know where such a player can be obtained, but it may involve some cash and players."

Rickey and Hendricks buckled down to the task of establishing their policies on the ball club this morning. The president and his manager held a protracted conference. Nothing of news developed, however.

Eppa Rixey Enlists.

These are certainly unfortunate days for Patrick Moran, the genial leader of the Phillies. After the loss of Alexander, along comes Eppa Jeptha Rixey—suh! of Kain-tuck-ee, and enlists in the Sanitary Corps of the National Army. He has been given a First Lieutenant's commission and probably will be assigned to the gas defense section.

Menoskey Drafted.

Clark Griffith has lost his first player hrough the draft. He is Mike Menoskey, outfielder, who recently was drawn and has been sent to Camp Custer. Menoskey was born in Austria and his father still is a subject of that country.

How About This?

Chicago says Earl Hamilton, former Brownie pitcher, is set for a come-back next season, merely because Joe Tinker has sold him to the Pirates. Hamilton went to the Columbus club as part payment for Lowdermilk. The news that Tinker has sold him is just beginning to leak out and hasn't been confirmed.

The Athletics and Pirates will train at Jacksonville, Fla., and play a series of exhibition games, according to an announcement yesterday from Connie Mack.

Bill James, who used to hurl for the Browns, but more recently with the Detroit club, has waived all exemption claims, according to his questionnaire, which he recently returned. Probably means Bill won't pitch many games next season.

Joe Jenkins, White Sox catcher, who was drafted early in the fall, is having fully as much success as a fighting man as he did on the diamond—perhaps more. Joe has been chosen to attend the officers' training camp at Atlanta, Ga.

SOLDAN HIGH FIVE UPSETS DOPE AND WINS FIRST GAME

Gold and Brown Quintet Hands Cleveland First Defeat of Season, 33 to 28.

Soldan High School's reputation for shooting the grandoldope full of holes was upheld last night in its basketball game with Cleveland High School, the gold and brown beating its apparently stronger opponent 33 to 28. Previous to the contest Cleveland, which had won both of its games, was a top-heavy favorite over Soldan.

Cleveland had hoped to go through the season without a defeat. It's a matter of record in intersholastic circles that Soldan takes particular delight in spoiling just such hopes. Therefore, while the latter's victory was extremely surprising, in view of the circumstances, it wasn't entirely unexpected.

Second Game an Upset.

The result of the second game also went against the grain of the dope. Yeatman had been generally selected to trim Central. The reverse of the thing occurred last night, Central winning, 28 to 26.

Yeatman, of course, has a logical alibi and one which probably is sufficiently strong to advance as a reason for the defeat. Benny Winkleman's last-minute decision to quit the team hurt beyond a doubt and if Yeatman feels so inclined, it can very well attribute the loss to Benny's absence.

Soldan's team play was easily the feature of the opening game. The "wild-man" tactics of Soldan's forwards were missing last night and in their stead appeared accurate work at the baskets. Smith alone counted seven field goals for Soldan. Cleveland held a two-point advantage at the end of the first half but in the second period, Soldan stepped to victory.

Central in Great Finish.

Yeatman appeared an almost certain winner at the end of the first period at which time the score was 12 to 8 with Central on the short end. However, in the second period, Central counted 20 points while Yeatman was able to gather but 12 and the latter lost the decision.

The work of Wassal, both on offense and defense was the feature of this game. Bob Larmore's brilliant basket form mid-court also is worthy of honorable mention.

The results of the games last night give Cleveland two victories in three starts and keeps them at the top of the heap. Soldan, McKinley and Central have an even break in two games, while Yeatman is at the bottom with one victory in three games.

HERMAN TO MEET ERTLE.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 11.—Pete Herman of New Orleans, world's bantam weight champion and Johnny Ertle, of St. Paul, Minn., have signed for a 10-round no decision bout here Feb. 4, it was announced yesterday.

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WRAY'S COLUMN

Connie, the Insurrecto.

CORNELIUS McGILLICUDDY is insurrecting again. The mild-looking, soft-spoken firebrand of baseball is again in revolt against the tyranny of the ballplayer, which he shook off—incidentally shaking the baseball world in doing it—in the winter of 1914.

Connie just finished refrigerating one Stuffy McInnis in well-chosen words of ice before trading him to Boston, consequent upon the valued first baseman's failure to sign a reduced contract. Connie spake, about as follows:

"We are lucky to be alive. Every player on my club will have to stand for a cut and that applies to McInnis, whom I esteem and who has hitherto treated me very fairly. I will sell or trade McInnis, however, if he becomes a holdout. I will not sign discontended men."

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Wrecked Baseball Precepts.

IT has been so with Connie for some years. Just when you figure he has reached an impasse, Connie proceeds to wreck the customary procedure by doing the unexpected. Mack showed magnates that the dominion of the star player over the unhappy magnate could be broken; he showed that the opinion of the fans could be disregarded, when circumstances warranted it. **He now dares to stand up for retrenchment principles, when all the rest of the baseball world is money-mad.**

Whether he will get away with it all and make good his theories will be interesting to observe. If he does, the ballplayer never again will be able to "run a bluff" or put over a holdup—pardon, holdout.

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Get the Cash; Let the Credit Go.

MACK and his baseball club have wrung several distinctions—not all desirable—from a reluctant public and are now, lowly though the club may be, rapidly clinching another. The latest happy thought concerning the Athletics is that **the team has sent more men to the service of the United States than any other club in either league;** and that it is likely to contribute still others.

Enlistment and draft have sent 15 Elephants to the front and 14 others of his remaining squad are subject to early draft. Think of it!

In the service today are Catchers Haley, McAvoy and Murphy; Pitchers Anderson, Jingling Johnson, Noyes, Seibold and Naylor; Infielders Bates, Witt, Grover and Palmer; and Outfielder Ralph Scharman. There remain the following men, all of whom except Picinich are subject to draft: Catchers Thomas, Meyer, Picinich and Perkins; Pitchers Schauer, Parnham, Meyers and Gregg; Infielders Dugan and Dailey; Outfielders Jamieson, Bodie and Kopp.

This leaves hardly enough of the old Elephant to fill out his trunk, now that Strunk, Bush, McInnis and Schang have been sold.

War has certainly been unkind to Connie. The Federal war began it and the European war is rapidly finishing the greatest club since Frank Chance's dreadnought disintegrated.

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Connie Mack's Daring.

ONE of the distinctions referred to above as having been wrenched from a reluctant fate by the indomitable Connie was that of being the only leader in baseball history with nerve enough to defy home fans by selling popular players.

Only recently we had presented to view the spectacle of Branch Rickey worrying himself sick over the problem what to do with a fabulous offer for Hornsby, a player who may prove to be overrated or who may be caught in the draft ere the 1918 campaign is over.

Common sense told Rickey that the absurd money proffer ought to be snatched up without debating the matter for more than a wink's time; yet fear that the fans would accuse him of wrecking the club's pennant chances forced him to put all thoughts of selling Rogers into the background—against his better judgment, it may be.

No such squeamishness was to be found in the human Filament from Philadelphia. Connie swung his mace on a world's championship machine and wrecked it before the very eyes of the astounded mob. He has continued to dismantle it ever since, has denuded it of almost the last vestige of its former greatness.

He survives, he has a bank roll and owns an inexpensive team and will be financially fortified better than most of its rivals, if the worst comes because of the war.

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Here's the Answer.

HOWEVER, Connie had his clientele on the hip, when he smashed and battered down his great baseball club. He knew before he began the destruction that there was no comeback at him because of a third and even less enviable distinction that had attached to his Athletics—that of having been **the only world's championship team in modern history to go through the season a money LOSER!**

Back into the teeth of the Philadelphia fans Connie hurled it, when reproached for breaking up his team.

"What do you care?" he snarled. I gave you a world's championship club and you wouldn't patronize it. Good night!"

No St. Louis club owner, about to sell a star, would have the moral support of a similar lack of popular interest to fall back upon. St. Louis fans have always given St. Louis clubs splendid support at the slightest encouragement. That's why Rickey decides to keep Hornsby instead of the $65,000—more or less—that Weeghman threw on the table.

NO DATE SET FOR ACTION IN C. A. C. CASE, SAYS LACY

Application for Reinstatement in A. A. U. Received by Registration Committee.

Verne Lacy, chairman of the Registration Committee of the Western District of the A. A. U., stated this morning that he had late yesterday received the Columbian Athletic Club's application for membership in the amateur body. Lacy stated, however, that he did not know just when action would be taken in the case.

Copies of the testimony taken in the case last Saturday at which the Tangled C was suspended for failure to live up to A. A. U. rules will be mailed to the South Side organization and also to the Municipal Athletic Association today, it was said by Lacy.

In their application for reinstatement, the officials of the Tangled C asked that action be taken as soon as possible as they had a game with the Cosmos basketball team of Louisiana, Mo., scheduled for next Wednesday night, which they wished to play with an A. A. U. sanction.

"I do not think any difficulty will arise, if the officials of the Columbian A. C. reprimand the party who is responsible for all the rumpus," said Lacy today. "But I do think someone should be reprimanded, as I do not think that all those connected with athletics at the Columbian Athletic Club are guilty."

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Meramec Trust Co. (par $50)		
Night and Day Bank	75	
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Savings Trust Co	105	
State Bank Wellston	280	
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Grand Avenue Bank	220	240
International Bank	245	260
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Laclede Trust	115	120
Lemay Ferry Bank	145	160
Lowell Bank	91	95
Meramec Trust Co. (par $50)	....	50
Night and Day Bank	75	80
North St. Louis Sav. Tr. Co.	190	200
Savings Trust Co	105	115
State Bank Wellston	280	300
Tower Grove Bank	200	215
Union Station Bank	115	125
Water Tower Bank	85	90
West St. Louis Trust Co.	110	120
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New York Bond Sales

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2,000	Liberty 4s	at	96.54
2,000	St. P. cv. 5s	at	80
5,000	Liberty 4s	at	96.52
2,000	So. Ry. 4s	at	59⅜
2,000	Anglo 5s	at	89¼
25,000	Un. Kdm. 5½s, 1919	at	98¾
10,000	Atch. 4s	at	83⅞
5,000	Liberty 4s	at	96.48
3,000	M. P. G. M. 4s	at	56⅝
2,000	Un. Kdm. 5s, 1919	at	96
2,000	Penn. 4½s	at	97
5,000	Liberty 3½s	at	98.66
3,000	B. O. 4s	at	78
20,000	Liberty 3½s	at	98.70
5,000	Liberty 4s	at	96.48
2,000	Armour 4½s	at	84½
10,000	Liberty 4s	at	96.44
50,000	Liberty 4s	at	96.50
3,000	Anglo 5s	at	89⅛
1,000	B. O. 4s	at	78⅛
1,000	B. R. T. 5s, 1918	at	97
3,000	N. Y. Cen. 6s	at	93¼
2,000	Liberty 3½s	at	98.66
2,000	Bordeaux 6s	at	85¾

New York Curb Opening.

Reported daily by Stifel-Nicolaus Inv. Co., 207 North Broadway.

Mines—Atlanta 8@9, Big Ledge 1@1⅛, Butte C. and Z. 7¾@8, Canana Copper 1⅞@2, Emma Copper ⅜@½, Goldfield Cons. 5-16@7-16, Green Monster ½@⅝, Jumbo Extension 15@17, La Rose ⅜@⅝, McKinley Darragh 55@65, Magma 37@40, Mines Co. 1@1⅛, Mother Lode 27@28, Nipissing 8¼@8½, Ray Hercules 3½@3¾, St. Joe Lead 15@15½.

Motors—Chevrolet 114@117, Grant Motor 2@4, Hupp Motor 1½@2½, United Motors 22¾@23.

Industrials—Aetna Explosives 7¼@7¾, Brit.-Am. Tob. new 17@18, Can. Nat. Gas ¼@½, Carwen Steel 8@10, Keystone Tire com. 12@14, do pfd 12@14, Kresge 68@73, Lake Torpedo 3@3½, Manhattan Transit 1 9-16@1 11-16, Marconi 3¼@3⅝, Submarine Boat 13@14, Triangle Film ⅞@1, World Film ⅝@¾, Wright Martin 7@7¼, Curtis Aero 25@27.

Independent oils—Northwest Oil 60@65, Merritt Oil 23¼@24, Glenrock Oil 3½@4⅛, Okmulgee Ref. 2@2¼, Anglo-American 17½@18½, Cosden Co. 7¾@8, Houston Oil 43@44, Midwest Oil com. 102@108, Midwest Oil pfd 1⅛@1¼, Okla. Oil 4@5, Okla. Prod. & Ref. 7⅛@7⅜, Sapulpa 9¼@9¾, Sinclair Gulf 16@17.

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Reported by Mark C. Steinberg & Co., Investment Bankers, Mezzanine, Boatmen's Bank Bldg., St. Louis.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Cen. Ins. ctfs. of Dep	75	90
American Stove Co.	118	128
Butler Brothers	174	178
Burroughs Adding Mach. Co.	250	255
Cen States Life Ins.	12	14
Chicago Lumber and Coal	63	67
Como Mills	97	100
Cities Service com.	214	216
Gen. Baking Co., pfd	45	50
International Life Ins. Co.	45	50
Hart Schaffner & Marx com.	60	61
Inland Steel	175	180
Kaufman Dept Stores com.	30	35
Lac. Stl. Co., with rights on	170	175
Lac. Stl. Co. rights	20	25
Mo. State Life Ins. Co.	26	28
*May Dept. Stores com.	46	51
Shapleigh Hardware com	200	210
Simmons Hardware com	225	245
Western Cartridge Co.	250	300

PREFERRED STOCKS.

Reported by Mark C. Steinberg & Co. Boatmen's Bank Bldg., St. Louis.

		Bid.	Asked
*Brown Shoe Co.	7	91	100
Carleton Dry Goods Co.	7	100	102
Carleton-Ferguson, D. G. Co. 1st pfd.	6	70	80
Certain-teed P. Corp. 1st pfd	7	....	98⅛
Childs Restaurant	7	88	91
Cities Service	6	74¼	75
*Cluett Peabody	7	90	100
Commercial Acid Co.	7	101	103
Dodge Mfg. Co.	7	97	100
Edmunds & Jones	7	80	90
Eisenstadt Mfg. Co.	7	104	107
Hart Schaffner & Marx	7	83	93
Kaufmann Dept. Stores	7	103	110
A. B. Kirschbaum	7	80	90
*May Dept. Stores Co.	7	100	111
Merrill Drug Co.	7	110	115
Ohio States Tel.	7	90	95
Shapleigh Hdw. Co. 1st pfd.	6	110	....
do 2d pfd	7	100	102
Simmons Hardware	6	90	94
Spicer Mfg. Co.	8	90	95
Union Elec. Lt. & Power Co.	7	99	101

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Opening Chicago Stocks.

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co. 307 North Fourth street.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Can com	37	39
do pfd	90	91
Am. Shipbuilding	89	91
do pfd	....	88
Comw. Edison	106	108
Cudahy	....	112
Diamond Match	104	108
Nat. Biscuit	94	100
do pfd	109	119
Quaker Ooats	250	255
do pfd	96	98
Sears Roebuck	150	152
do pfd	115	120
Stewart Warner	48	50
Swith & Co.	131	131½
Title & Trust	163	166
Tool	50	51
Carbide & Carbon	51	51½
Wilson & Co.	49	51

Opening Boston Stocks.

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BOSTON, Jan. 11.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Zinc com	13	14
do pfd	42	45
Butte & Superior	18	19
Calumet & Hecla	450	455
Copper Range	46¼	46½
East Butte	10	10½
Nipissing	8	8½
New Cornelia	15¾	16¼
United Shoe Machinery	41½	42

MOTOR STOCKS.

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Chevrolet	110	114
Edmunds & Jones com.	20	30
Hendee Mfg.	10	30
....	15	40
.... Motor	10	15
National Motors	12	14
....	40	50
Republic Motor	20	30
Spicer com.	18	23
Stromberg Carburetor	....	....
United Motors	23¾	23⅞

Wool Markets.

Market unsettled, demand very quiet and values easier.

Missouri and Illinois—Clear fleece tied, 68c; loose, 66@67c; braid, 58@60c; slight burry, 53@54c; hard burry, 35@40c; light fine, 58@62c; heavy fine, 50@55c; lambs' wool, 55@60c.

Arkansas, Texas and Southern—Medium 12 months, 66@67c; loose, 63@66c; slight burry, 52@54c; hard burry, 32@35c; light fine, 58@62c; heavy fine 50@55c.

Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska—Bright medium, 62@64c; dark, 57@59c; slight burry, 45@50c; light fine, 55@60c; heavy fine, 50@53c.

Western Texas and Oklahoma—Medium light, 61@62c; light fine, 50@58c; heavy fine, 30@45c; short stubby, 33@43c; heavy sandy, 21@31c; burry medium, 40@45c; hard burry, 28@33c; burry fine, 28@33c.

Angora Goat—Long lustrous, 43@45c; short coarse, 33@35c; burry 28@33c; hard burry, 25@28c.

Tubwashed—No. 1, 83@85c; No. 2, 72@75c; burry, 50@70c.

London Market.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The undertone of the stock market today was generally confident and most of the sections showed fair gains. Bank shares were the leading features in the excellent results of the year's business. Shipping shares and home rails were active and dearer, industrials were supported by the provinces and Argentine rails were in better demand. Money and discount rates were firm.

EQUIPMENT STOCK IS HIGHER IN LOCAL MART

Issue Gains Five Points on Bids at $125; Candy Common Slightly Lower.

ST. LOUIS CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Today	$26,700,767	$6,292,440
Yesterday	23,330,965	4,315,547
Last week	27,005,064	5,716,001
Previous week	29,644,137	7,395,727
Last month	25,345,037	5,733,211
Last year	21,321,531	3,345,451
Previous year	15,184,219	3,132,058

Clearings for five days this week, $128,384,254, against $138,731,541 for four days last week.

Chicago Railway Equipment stock gained five points in the early trading on the local Stock Exchange today, bids being recorded at $125 compared with sales late yesterday at $120. The stock is advancing on expectations of a "melon" for stockholders in February.

National Candy common stock was fairly active and slightly lower on transfers at $35. Closing bids were at that price, with offers at $35.25. International Shoe common stock was dealt in at $99.50. Other miscellaneous issues mentioned were about steady on the call.

United Railways securities showed no wide price changes from yesterday's session. Bank and trust shares were quiet.

MORNING SESSION.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked
Boatmen's Bank	103	....
Third National Bank	227	....
United Railways com.	4	5
do pfd.	....	20
do 4s	55¼	55½
Fulton Iron com.	....	50¼
K. C. Home Tel. 5s ($500)	87⅞	....
Certain-teed com.	....	50
do 2d pfd.	....	87
St. L. Cotton Compress	41¼	....
Int. Shoe pfd.	107	108
Brown Shoe com.	61⅛	65
do pfd.	92	....
Hydraulic P. Brick com.	1	....
Consolidated Coal	68⅝	....
Granite-Bimetallic	....	51½
National Candy com.	35	35¼
do 1st pfd.	100	101
do 2d pfd.	....	88
Chicago Ry. Equipment	125	....

SALES BETWEEN SESSIONS.
3 International Shoe common, 99½.
REGULAR SESSION.
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COTTON SELLS THIRTY POINTS HIGHER, THEN REACTS

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An active trade demand developed on the early decline, while the Western belt forecast was a disappointment to sellers and prices rallied rather sharply during the middle of the morning. They met increased offerings, however, and the market broke again late in the forenoon. Stop orders were uncovered and March touched 31.25c around midday, while May sold off to 30.90c or 15 to 16 points net lower. Private reports confirming earlier press advices that several New England mills may close on account of coal shortage were a factor on the decline.

Cotton Opening.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Cotton futures opened steady: Jan., 31.90c; March, 31.60c; May, 31.43c; July, 31.08c; Oct., 29.93c.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 11.—Cotton—Spot in limited demand; prices firm; good middling, 24.06d; middling, 23.53d; low middling, 23.01d; good ordinary, 22.07d. Sales, 3000 bales, including 2600 American. Receipts, 30,000 bales, including 7600 American.

Produce Elsewhere

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Butter steady; receipts, 2039 tubs. Creamery higher than extras, 52@52½c; extra (92 score), 51½c; firsts, 47½@50½c; seconds, 44@44½c.

Eggs—Steady; receipts, 3421 cases; fresh gathered extras, 67@68c; extra firsts, 66c; firsts, 65c; seconds, 58@64c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby western hennery white, fine to fancy, 73@75c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery browns, 68@71c; refrigerator special marks, 45½@46c; firsts, 44@45c.

Cheese—Dull; receipts, 1812 boxes; state whole milk flat fresh specials, 25@25¼c; do average run, 24½@24¾c.

Dressed poultry firm; chickens, 23@33c; fowls, 22@30½c; turkeys, 22@32c. Live poultry firm; chickens, 20@22c; fowls, 27@28c; turkeys, 20c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Butter unchanged; eggs higher; receipts, 2800; firsts, 58@60c; ordinary firsts, 54@57½c; at mark, cases included, 54@58c; refrigerator firsts not quoted; refrigerator extras, 44@44½c. Potatoes—Receipts, 37 cars; unchanged. Poultry, alive, unsettled; fowls, 24½c; springs, 22c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 11.—Butter, eggs and poultry unchanged.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The Metal Exchange quotes lead steady; spot, $6.75@7. Spelter firm; East St. Louis, spot, $7.37@8. At London—Copper, spot, £110; futures, £110; electrolytic, £125; tin, spot, £295; futures, £289; lead spot, £29 10s, futures £28 10s; spelter, spot, £54, futures, £50.

Chicago Provisions.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
PORK.				
Jan.	$46.25b	....	....	$46.40b
May	45.25	45.70	45.25	45.75
LARD.				
Jan.	24.22	24.30	24.20	24.30
May	24.60	24.80	24.52	24.77
RIBS.				
Jan.	23.80	24.00	23.70	24.00
May	24.30	24.42	24.15	24.42

Wool Review.

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow:

"While the week in the wool market has been generally quiet, there is no disposition on the part of dealers to let prices down; indeed the tendency on all spotw ools is, if anything, to ask a little more, especially on those grades known to be scarce.

"The situation at the mills shows no noteworthy change. The next colonial wool auctions at Boston are scheduled for Jan. 24 and 25."

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 6.05c; molasses nominal; refined steady; fine granulated, 7.45c. The raw and refined sugar markets will be closed Saturday hereafter.

Oils.

LINSEED OIL—Quote in lots of from 1 to 4 barrels at $1.33 per gallon for raw and $1.34 for boiled.

COTTONSEED OIL—Winter white, $1.75 to yellow, $1.74; summer white, $1.73; sum mer yellow, $1.72; salad $1.74; cooking—white, $1.73; yellow $1.72.

Toledo Cloverseed.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 11—Clover seed—Prime cash old, $18.50; new, $18.40; Jan., $18.40; Feb., $18.40; March, $17.70.

NEW YORK STOCKS

REPORTED DAILY FOR THE POST-DISPATCH BY G. H. WALKER & CO., 307 NORTH FOURTH STREET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.

STOCKS.	Prev. Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Industrials.					
†Am. Beet Sugar	75	74½	74½	74¼	74¼
Am. Can com.	38¼	37	37½	37	37¼
Atl. G. & W. I.	101⅝	101	101	99¼	99¼
Am. Tel.	106	105	105	104⅝	104⅞
Am Lin Oil com	29½	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	29½
Am. Tob.	164½	162	162	161½	162
Cal. Petro.	13⅝	13⅞	....	....	13⅞
Cen. L. com.	65⅝	65⅝	....	....	65⅝
Cuban Cane S.	31	30½	....	....	30½
Columbia Gas	32	33⅜	....	....	33⅜
C. P. Ref. com	32½	32	32	31⅝	32
Distillers	36	35½	35½	35¼	35¼
Gen. Elec.	135¼	133½	133⅝	133	133
Gen. Motor new	117½	116	116	115	115⅝
Goodrich	41½	42	42	41	41
Int. M. M. com	23⅝	22½	22½	22¼	22½
Int. M. M. pfd.	87⅜	87½	87½	86⅝	86⅝
Lac. Gas	....	85	....	....	85
Mex. Petro.	85⅝	84⅝	86	84⅝	85
Max. M. 2d pfd	....	21	....	....	21
Nat. En. com.	41½	41⅞	42¼	41½	41⅞
Chio Gas	39	38⅝	39	38⅛	38⅝
Peoples' Gas	42½	42⅝	44⅞	42⅜	44⅜
Stud. com.	51½	51½	51½	51	51
Sears Roebuck	150	151½	151½	150⅜	150⅜
Sinclair O.	32¼	32	32	31⅝	31⅝
Texas Co.	144⅝	143	....	....	143
Tobacco Pro	52⅝	52⅝	53	52¼	52⅝
United Cig. S.	93½	93½	95¼	92⅞	94½
United Fruit	119⅝	119	....	....	119
Vir.-C. C. C.	37⅜	37⅜	38¼	37⅜	38¼
W. U.	88¼	89¼	....	....	89¼
Westinghouse	41	40¼	....	....	40¼
Willys Ov. com	17⅞	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
Wilson & Co.	49⅝	50	50	49⅝	50
Metals and Equipments.					
AmC&FCo com.	70⅝	69	....	....	69
An. Copper	62⅝	62	62¼	61⅝	62¼
Am. Sm. com.	79⅞	79¼	79¼	78⅞	79⅛
Baldwin Loco.	60	59½	59¾	59	59
Beth. Steel B.	78	77	77½	76¼	77¼
Colo. F. & I.	36	36	....	....	36
Chile Cop.	16	16¼	....	....	16¼
Chino Copper	42⅝	42⅝	42⅞	42½	42½

STOCKS.	Prev. Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Crucible Steel	54⅝	54	54	53	54
Gt. Nor. Ore	27	27¼	27¼	26⅞	27¼
Int. Nickel	29⅝	28⅞	28⅞	28⅝	28⅝
†Ins. Cop.	47¼	45¼	45⅝	44⅝	45⅝
Kenn. Cop.	32¼	32¼	32⅝	32¼	32⅝
Lack. Steel	77	77	....	....	77
Midvale Steel	47	47	47¼	46⅝	46⅝
Miami Copper	31¼	31¼	....	....	31¼
Nevada Cons.	18⅝	18½	....	....	18½
Pullman Co.	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝	108½	108¼
P. S. Car com.	61⅝	61½	....	....	61½
Ray Cons.	23⅛	23¼	23¼	22⅞	22⅞
Rep.L&S. com.	78	77¼	77⅝	77¼	77⅝
Butte & S.	....	19⅞	19⅞	18⅞	18⅞
Tenn. Copper	13⅞	13⅝	13½	13⅜	13½
U. S. Steel com.	95⅝	94½	94⅝	93⅞	94⅝
U. S. Steel pfd.	109⅞	109⅞	109⅞	109¾	109¼
Utah Copper	81⅞	81½	81½	80¼	81
Railroads.					
Atch. com.	86	85	....	....	85
B. & O.	52½	52	52¼	52	52¼
B. R. T.	42¼	42¼	....	....	42¼
Can Pacific	138½	138⅝	138⅝	137⅞	138¼
C. & O.	52⅞	52½	52¼	52	52¼
CRI&P ctfs	20⅞	20¼	20¼	19⅝	19⅝
CRI&P pfd 7	60	60	....	....	60
CRI&P pfd 6	50	50	50	49½	49½
Chi. G.-W.	....	7	....	....	7
D. & H.	....	108¼	108¼	107	107½
Erie com.	15½	15½	....	....	15½
Erie 1st pfd.	....	26	....	....	26
Frisco	11½	11½	....	....	11½
Gt. Nor. pfd.	90	90½	....	....	90½
I. C.	....	93	....	....	93
Lehigh Val. Ry.	57	56⅝	....	....	56⅝
L. & N.	....	114	114½	114	114½
Mo. Pac.	22½	22¼	....	....	22¼
Mo. Pac. pfd.	....	42½	....	....	42½
N. Y. Cen.	70⅝	70⅝	70⅝	70½	70½
N. & W.	104	104⅛	104⅛	102⅞	103
Penn.	46⅝	46⅝	46⅞	46⅝	46⅞
Reading com.	74½	74	74½	73⅞	73⅞
Sou. Ry. com.	23⅝	23½	23½	23¼	23¼
U. P. com.	115	114⅝	114⅝	114	114

Sales to 11 a. m., 144,200.
†Ex-dividends.
Sales to noon, 219,600 shares.

TRADING AT STANDSTILL ALONG LOCAL PRODUCE ROW

Zero weather put an embargo on the movement of fruits and vegetables along the local produce row today and values showed no essential change in absence of trading. The egg market ruled very firm but values were not quotably higher. Offerings were light. With the exception of hens, which ruled half cent higher, the poultry market was quiet and unchanged.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Note—Quotations herewith represent store and terminal prices obtained by commission merchants. Orders and extra fancy stock higher.

EGGS—Fresh, firsts, 55c@55½c ped doz. in shipping order, returned cases ½c less inferior quality discounted according to condition.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 50@50½c; firsts, 44@45c, seconds, 39½@40c; ladles, 38c packing stock, 33½c; watery and cheesy discounted according to conditions.

OLEOMARGARINE—Table grades (in prints): No. 1, 30c per pound; No. 2, 29c No. 3, 27c; bakers' special (in tubs) 22½c bakers' pastry, 23c.

CHEESE—Quote per lb., Northern—Twins, 24c; singles, 24½c; long horns, 27¼c; daisies, 25¾c; Y. A., 27½c; prints, 28½c; limburger, 28@29c; Swiss No. 1 new, 34@40c; brick, 27¼c; all inferior quality less.

LIVE POULTRY—Fowls (hens), 23c; spring chickens, 24c; staggy young roosters, 20c; broilers, 27½c; cocks, 16c. Turkeys, choice, 26c; turkeys, old toms, 25c; turkeys, culls, 19c; ducks, 24c; geese, 18@20c; geese, fancy fat, 22@23c; capons, 7 lbs. and over, 25c; capons, under 7 pounds, 22c; slips, 18c; guinea chickens, per dozen, $2.50@4.25.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys at 28@30c; old toms, 28@29c; No 2s, 18@22c; fowls, 23@24c. Spring chickens, 25@26c; cocks, 17c; broilers, 28@29c; ducks, 25@27c; geese, 20@23c; capons, 7 lbs. and over, 28c; under 7 lbs. 25c; slips, 20c.

VEALS—Choice, 100 to 110 lbs., 14¼c per pound; do 165 to 180 pounds, 13½@14c; 185 to 200 pounds, 12@13c; rough, coarse and heretic, over 200 lbs., as well as all thin and underweight, 6@11c, according to quality. Sheep, 8½@10c; bucks, 6@7½c. Spring lambs 13@16c per pound, according to size and quality.

Vegetables.

POTATOES—Track prices of $1.80 to $2.10 for choice to fancy sacked rural and plain burbank; $1.75 to $1.95 for red; $2 to $2.15 for russet burbank; frosted stock at irregular discounts.

ONIONS—Extra fancy sacked and globe $1.85 to $2 per 100 pounds delivered, according to quality. Fancy sacked white, $2 to $3; yellow, $2.75.

SPANISH ONIONS—In shipping way (50 sizes) delivered, $1.50 per crate.

ANISE PLANT—Louisiana, $2 to $3.50 per ... barrel.

ARTICHOKES—California, $5@7.50 per box, 5 to 7 dozen.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—California drums $5 to $12 for choice green.

BEETS—Home-grown, in boxes, 1¼c per pound net weight. New Louisiana bunches, 20@25c per dozen bunches for Kenner; 30@35c for large bunches New Orleans.

CABBAGE—Holland seed, $50 to $58 per ton delivered, according to quality. Red 3½@3¾c per pound.

CARROTS—Home-grown, washed, in boxes, 1¼c per pound, net weight. New Louisiana, 15c per dozen bunches for Kenner; 20@25c for large bunches New Orleans.

CELERY—Fancy California, $3.75 per crate in jobbing way delivered.

CAULIFLOWER—California flat crates $1.50, according to quality.

ENDIVE—Louisiana sugar barrels, $3 to $2.50. Escarol, $2.50 to $3.

EGG PLANT—Florida 1½-bushel crates $3.50 to $4 for fancy.

GREEN PEPPERS—Florida, 1¼-bushel crates fancy bell peppers, $4 to $6.

GARLIC—At 5c to 6c per pound; single strings 10c to 25c as in size.

HORSERADISH—Fair to large sized; home-grown, $5 to $5.50 per 100 pounds, net weight small, $2.50.

LETTUCE—Texas hampers, 50c to 65c and Louisiana sugar barrels, $1 to $2.50 hampers 40c to 75c. Florida large hampers fancy, $1, to $1.75.

MUSTARD GREENS—Louisiana, 20c per dozen bunches for 20 dozen; 40c for 10 dozen to the barrel.

KALE—Alabama hampers, $1; 5c per pound by weight.

PARSLEY—Louisiana plain or curly 15c to 25c per doz. bunches, according to size.

PARSNIPS—Home-grown, in boxes, 1¼c per pound, net weight.

SALSIFY—Home-grown, 30@40c per dozen bunches.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown boxes, net weight, 4½c to 4¾c per lb. for white and yellow and 4c for red; 3c per lb. for Bermuda; Arkansas bushel baskets nancy hall $1.75, delivered.

RUTABAGAS—Bulk, choice, $1 to $1.10 lbs. delivered.

SPINACH—New Orleans bunched, 50c to 60c per dozen bunches.

SAUERKRAUT—City make in jobbing way delivered, Kegs, $1 25; half barrels, $4; barrels, $7.75; 45-gallon casks, $12; orders charged higher.

SHALLOTS—Louisiana, 15c@20c dozen bunches for small 30c for large bunches.

STRING BEANS—Florida round green $5.60 per 28-quart hamper.

TOMATOES—Florida 6-basket crates $4 to $4.50 for fancy ripe; Cuban 6 basket crates, $3@3.50 for repacked sound ripe.

TURNIPS—New Louisiana, 30c per dozen bunches for 15 dozen; 40c for 10 dozen to the barrel. Home-grown boxed, washed, 1¾c per lb. net weight.

Fruits.

APPLES—Common storage Ben Davis and gano, $2.50 to $3.25; winesaps, willowtwigs, etc., $3 to $4.25, according to quality. Cold storage: Fancy Ben Davis, $4 to $4.35; gano, $4.25@4.50; No. 2 do, $3.25 and $3.50; fancy roman beauty, winesaps, willowtwigs and blacktwigs, $5 to $5.50; huntsmans, $4 to $4.75; fancy jonathans, $4.75 to $5.25, $3.50@3.75 for No. 2; grimes golden, $4.50@5.50 for No. 1 and $3.50@3.75 for No. 2.

GRAPEFRUIT—Florida, $2.75@4.75 per box in jobbing way delivered.

LIMES—Jamaica, at $1 per 100.

COCOANUTS—In jobbing way, $65 per 1000.

PINEAPPLES—Cuban, $5 to $5.50 per crate.

LEMONS—California, $4.50 to $5.50 per box in jobbing way delivered, according to size.

MALAGA GRAPES—Imported Spanish $8 to $11 per barrel.

BANANAS—In shipping order, 4c per pound.

PEARS—Sound Kieffer, $3.50 per barrel. Pacific Coast Howell, $2.50; Eastern buerre, $3.25 per box.

GRAIN MARKET QUIET WITH PRICES STEADY

Cold Weather Makes Sellers Cautious; Foreign News Also a Bullish Factor.

Despite cold weather and less favorable peace prospects corn futures were only slightly higher here today. Trading was confined entirely to pit operators, as outside interest in the market has been reduced to a minimum. Receipts here totaled 84,000 bu, against 85,000 bu last year, while shipments were 32,000 bu, against 37,000 bu.

Oats were firmer than corn and sold 1c higher despite a light trade. Receipts totaled 86,000 bu, against 60,000 bu last year. Shipments were 93,000 bu, against 63,000 bu.

Northwest wheat cars.

	Today	Last Week.	Last Year.
Minneapolis	212	234	169
Duluth	7	13	28
Winnipeg	190	210	339
Total	409	457	534

Minneapolis wheat stocks decreased 30,000 bu; oats decreased 15,000 bu for the week; flour shipments 53,000 bbls; wheat shipments 44 cars.

The Modern Miller says: Scattered rains fell in Texas following a long drawnout drouth. Snow fell over the entire state of Kansas and part of Missouri during the past week. Promise in the upper Mississippi Valley, Central and Northern Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin is good. Reports from the Southwest are better. There is much soft corn in the country.

DAILY PRIMARY MOVEMENT.

	Today.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
RECEIPTS.			
Wheat	406,000	479,000	889,000
Corn	904,000	1,000,000	1,180,000
SHIPMENTS.			
Wheat	131,000	186,000	805,000
Corn	384,000	502,000	677,000
Oats	592,000	991,000	486,000

Bradstreet's showed wheat exports last week, 3,078,000 bu; corn, 179,000 bu.

Clearances of wheat today were 695,000 bu; corn none; oats, 35,030; flour, 7000 bbls; wheat and flour, 727,600 bu.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

Cash corn was slow sale at steady prices; few selections 1c to 4c better.

Cash oats ¼c to ½c up and in good demand.

Quote: No. 3 corn, $1.74; No. 5 corn, $1.55; No. 6 corn, $1.45; No. 2 yellow corn, $1.92; No. 3 yellow corn, $1.70@1.78; No. 2 white corn, $1.83@1.85; No. 4 white corn, $1.66@1.67; No. 5 white corn, $1.57. No. 3 white oats, 82½@84c.

Hay Market.

Reported for the Post-Dispatch by Graham & Martin Grain Co., Merchants' Exchange.

Receipts of hay moderate. Timothy hay market firm, demand readily absorbing the arrivals. Clover mixed hay, both light and heavy, steady with a good demand. Clover hay scarce and wanted. Alfalfa quiet but steady. Prairie hay scarce and in demand. Straw steady. Quote No. 1 timothy, $29.50 to $30.50; standard from $29 to $29.50; No. 2 from $27 to $28; headed timothy from $25 to $26; threshed timothy, $22 to $23; No. 1 light clover mixed, $29; No. 2 from $27 to $28; No. 1 heavy clover mixed, $29; No. 2 from $27 to $28; No. 1 clover from $30 to $33; No. 2 clover from $28 to $30; choice alfalfa, $35 to $36; No. 1 from $32 to $34; standard from $31 to $32; No. 2 from $30 to $31; choice prairie, $30; No. 1 from $2? to $29.50; No. 2 from $27 to $28; wheat straw, $10 to $10.50; oats straw, $11 to $12.

St. Louis Lead Market.

Lead was steady here today at 6¾c nominal. Spelter quiet at $7.20@7.75.

HOGS AGAIN LOWER AT THE STOCKYARDS; CATTLE STEADY

NAT'L STOCK YARDS, Ill., Jan. 11.

Cattle, 3000; including 100 southerns. Markets steady. Yearling beef steers and heifers, $7@13.50; cows, $5@10.50; stockers and feeders, $6.50@10; calves, $5.75@15.75; Texas steers, $6.75@10.80; fair to prime yearling beef steers, $9@12.75; beef cows and heifers, $6@10; southern prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@10.

Hogs, 10,5000. 15 cents lower. Mixed, $16.10@16.30; hogs, $16.20@16.40; rough $16.35@16.50; make rough, $15.35@15.50; lights, $16@16.15; pigs, $14@15; bulk, $16@16.35.

Sheep, 1500. Steady. Ewes, $11.50@12; wethers, $11.50@12.75; canners and choppers, $6@9; lambs, $14@17.75.

Horses and mules, 1300 head.

Livestock Elsewhere

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Hogs: Receipts, 44,000; tomorrow, 24,000; slow, 5c under yesterday's average; bulk, $16.10@16.40; light, $15.50@16.35; mixed, $15.80@16.50; heavy, $15.80@16.50; rough, $15.75@15.95; pigs, $12.40@15.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; tomorrow, 3000; weak; native steers, $8.10@13.65; stockers and feeders, $6.70@10.75; cows and heifers, $5.70@11.60; calves, $8.75@16.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; tomorrow, 3000; weak; wethers, $9.60@13.25; lambs, $14@17.65.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 11.—Hogs—Receipts 7000; 10c lower; bulk, $15.85@16.20; heavy, $16@16.35; packers and butchers, $16@16.20; light, $15.95@16.20; pigs, $13.50@15.25.

Cattle—Receipts 3000; steady; prime fed steers, $11.75@14; dressed beef steers, $10@12.50; western steers, $8.50@11; southern steers, $7@10; cows, $6.25@10.75; heifers, $7@11; stockers and feeders, $7.50@11.25; bulls, $7@10; calves, $6.50@13.50.

Sheep—Receipts 3000; steady; lambs, $16.25@17.90; yearlings, $12@14.25; wethers, $11@12.50; ewes, $9.50@12; stockers and feeders, $7@15.50.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 11.—Hogs—Receipts, 7000; 10c higher; heavy, $16@16.40; mixed, $16.15@16.35; light, $15.90@16.35; pigs, $10@15.15; bulk of sales, $16.10@16.30. Cattle—Receipts, 2000; steady; native steers, $9@12.50; cows and heifers, $7@11.50; Western steers, $8@11.75; Texas steers, $7.50@10; cows and heifers, $7@9.25; canners, $6@7; stockers and feeders, $6.50@11; calves, $9@13; bulls, stags etc., $6.50@10.50. Sheep—Receipts, 2600; steady; yearlings, $11.50@..., wethers, $11 ...; ewes, 12.25; lambs, $15.75@17.25.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 11.—Hogs—Receipts, 4500; lower; heavy Yorkers, $16.90@17; light Yorkers, $16.65@16.75; pigs, $16 ?@16.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1000; steady; top sheep, $13; top lambs, $18@20. Calves—Receipts, 100; steady; top, $17.50.

PROVISIONS

PORK—Nominal.

LARD—Prime steam in tierces at 23.90@23.96c nominal. Keetle-rendered in tierces, 24½@24¾c.

GREEN MEATS—Hams at 23@23¼c for 10@12s and 12@14s, 22⅞@23c for 14@16c, 22⅞@23c for 18@20s; skinned hams at 23¼@24¼c; bellies (6@8s, 8@10s and 10@12s—square cut and seedless), 28¼@28¾c; shoulders, 20@20½c; skinned shoulders, 21@22c; picnics, 18⅝@19¾c. pork loins, 22@24c; lean butts, 22@23c spare ribs, 18@19c; tenderloins, 38@39c.

S. P. MEATS—Hams—10@12s 23¼@24¾c, 12@14s 24¼@24¼c, 14@16s 24@24¼c, 18@20s 24¼@24¾c; skinned hams, 21⅞@23¾c; picnics, 18¼@20⅝c; clear bellies, 27⅝@28⅝c.

D. S. MEATS—Loose in car lots f. o. b.: Heavy to light fully cured rough c'ribs at 23.50c to 24c; clear bellies, 27½@28½c; rib bellies, 27@27¾c; extra short clear and extra short c'ribs, 25@25¼c; regular plates, 23½@23¾c; regular jowl butts, 20¼@20⅝c light fat backs, 24¾@25c.

BACON—Boxed s. c. meats in jobbing way: Breakfast bacon, 36@36½c; hams, 29½@30c; skinned hams, 28½@29c; Californias and New York shoulders, 23¾@24¼c.

Flour, Meal and Bran.

FLOUR—Good demand from scattered domestic trade, and urgent requests for offers have been sent out to mills in the Missouri division of the Food Administration.

Quote approximate values in jute: Soft 95 per cent at $10.25@10.40, 100 per cent at $10.10@10.20, and 5 per cent low-grade at $7.75@8.50; hard 95 per cent at $10.25@10.65, 100 per cent at $10.10@10.20, and 5 per cent low-grade at $8.25@8.50; spring 95 per cent at $10.20 to $10.50 and spring second clears at $6.50 to $7.25.

RYE FLOUR—Car lots pure white at $10.20 and dark at $9.30 in jute; pure white jobbing at $10.45 and dark at $9.70—in wood 25c more.

CORN MEAL, ETC.—City meal at $8.15 f. o. b. in wood (196-pound barrel). Grits and hominy at $8.95 and cream meal at $8.65.

MILLSTUFFS—Wheat feed in demand at Government fixed prices: $1.35 to $1.40 per 100 pounds bulk basis at mill for bran, $2 per ton over for shorts and $2 over for flour middlings, but little obtainable, owing to light milling.

Horses and Mules.

The Eastern trade shows indications of opening up, as there has been a few buyers in this week and a good proportion of the auction supply was taken for Eastern shipment.

Horse quotations: Heavy draft, extra, $170@220; Eastern chunks, $75@125; southern horses, choice, $135@150; southern horses, good, $85@120; southern horses, medium, $60@85; southern horses, common, $40@70; plugs, $25@50.

Mule quotations: 16 to 16¼ hands, $200@265; 15 to 15½ hands, $150@230; 14 to 14½ hands, $90@115; 13 to 13½ hands, $80@100; 12 to 12½ hands, $90@120.

GRAIN MARKETS

FRIDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.
Reported by the St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.
ST. LOUIS, Jan. 11.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Wednesday.	Last Year.
JANUARY CORN.						
Chicago	127⅝	127⅝	127¼	127¼b	127¼b	....
Kansas City	....	....	....	127⅝b	127⅝@⅞a	....
MAY CORN.						
St. Louis	125⅝@½	125½	124⅝a	125¼b	125@⅛a	98⅝
Chicago	125⅛	125⅜	124½	125⅛@¼a	⅞@125b	97⅞
Kansas City	126¼	126¼	125¼	126a	125⅛	95⅛a
JANUARY OATS.						
Chicago	79	79⅛	78⅝	79⅛@⅜	78½	....
MAY OATS.						
St. Louis	77¼	77¼	76⅛	77b	76¼@⅜a	57a
Chicago	76⅞@⅝	76⅞	75⅝	76⅛@⅜	76½@76	56⅞b

STORMY WEATHER CAUSES FIRMER GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Stormy weather and forecasts of severe cold tended today to harden prices in the corn market, especially as meagerness of receipts indicated that previous traffic difficulties had not been overcome. Besides, advices in regard to peace failed to confirm bearish views.

Opening quotations, which ranged from ⅛c to ⅛@¼c higher, with January $1.27 and May $1.25⅛, were followed by a slight further advance in some cases.

Oats developed decided strength, chiefly owing to the failure of peace talk to be confirmed. Furthermore, arrivals continued to dwindle. May sold ⅝c higher, at 76⅝c. Liberal receipts of hogs eased provisions. Selling, though, was only of a scattered sort.

Cash Grain Elsewhere.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Corn—No. 2 and No. 3 yellow nominal; No. 4 yellow, $1.65@1.75. Oats—No. 3 white, 80¼@81c; standard, 80½@81½c. Rye—No. 2 nominal. Barley—$1.38@1.58. Timothy—$5@7.50. Clover—$21@27. Lard—$24.37. Pork nominal. Ribs—23.75@24.37.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 11.—Cash corn steady; No. 2 mixed, $1.74@1.72; No. 3, $1.78@1.62; No. 2 white, $1.74@1.75; No. 3, $1.70; No. 2 yellow, $1.75@1.77; No. 3 nominal. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 82½c; No. 2 mixed, 80½@81c. Rye—$1.75@1.76. Kaffir and milo maize, $3.30@3.32. Hay—Weak to $1 lower; choice timothy, $28@28.50; choice prairie, $23.50@24.50; choice alfalfa, $32.50@33.50. Receipts—Wheat, 14 cars.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 11.—Flour unchanged. Barley, $1.31@1.56. Rye, $1.84½@1.85½. Bran, $32.50. Corn—No. 3 yellow, $1.65@1.68. Oats—No. 3 white, 79¼@80⅛c. Flax, $3.57¼@3.60½.

Government Wheat Prices Here.

No. 1 red winter	$2 18
No. 2 red winter	2 15
No. 1 soft red	2 10
No. 2 soft red	2 13
No. 1 dark hard winter	2 20
No. 2 hard winter	2 15
No. 1 hard winter	2 18
No. 2 hard winter	2 15
No. 1 yellow hard winter	2 14
No. 2 yellow hard winter	2 11
No. 1 dark Northern spring	2 23
No. 1 Northern spring	2 18
No. 2 red spring	2 16
No. 1 Humpback	2 06
No. 2 amber durum	2 22
No. 1 durum	2 26
No. 1 red durum	2 11
No. 1 red walla	2 11
No. 1 hard white	2 16
No. 1 soft white	2 16
No. 1 white club	2 14

Hides.

HIDES—Plentiful and dull. Quote current receipts (less 1 lb tare per hide on wet salted):

Wet Salted—Round 16c; No. 1, 16½c; No. 2, 15½c; bull 11½c; glue stock, 7c. Dry—Flint, round, 32½c; salted, 29½c; flint, bull 22½c; culls, 19½c; culls, salted, 17½c.

Uncured or fresh 2c per lb less and part cured 1c per lb less. No 1 horsehides mane and tail on, $5.25; small and No. 2, $4.25; glue and pony, $1.50@3; hog hides, 75c—glue and pig half price.

SHEEP PELTS—Quote each: Wool pelts, $2@3 25; lambs at $1.25@2. Dry stock, 35@40c per lb for light and 30@33c for heavy. GOAT SKINS—Quote at 50@70c each—kids 10@15c; glue, 10@15c.

FINANCIAL.

STOCKS FOR SALE

Afterthought Copper	$1 50
American Shoe Machinery	11 00
Allan-Pfeiffer Chemical	65 00
American Drug Syndicate	10 50
American Mineral Production	2 50
Crown Oil	1 10
Comet Motors	2 00
Crow-Elkhart Motors	2 25
Central States Life	11 50
Elgin Motors	8 00
Empire Tire & Rubber Common	Bargain
Empire Tire & Rubber Pfd.	Bargain
Hoffman Oil & Refining	1 50
International Life	51 00
Internatianal Money Machine	8 50
Illinois Oil Refining	13 00
Mascot Copper	1 40
Missouri State Life	31 00
Marquette Life	11 00
Nemo Oil (Okla.)	3 25
Neosho Oil & Gas	95
Olympian Motors	75 00
Okmulgee Producing & Refining	2 25
Perfection Tire & Rubber	60
Pole Star Copper	25
Sanitol Chemical	3 75
Smith Motors, Common	1 25
Smith Motors, Preferred	25 00
Southern Illinois Light, Heat & Power	85 00
Wellington Mines	1 20

All active unlisted stocks bought and sold. Correspondence solicited.

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G. D. MILNE, Treasurer

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W. U. GLEE CLUB CONCERT

THE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY GLEE AND MANDOLIN CLUBS WILL HOLD THEIR SIXTH ANNUAL CONCERT AT THE ODEON FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 11---8:15 O'Clock

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2:15—TWICE DAILY—8:15
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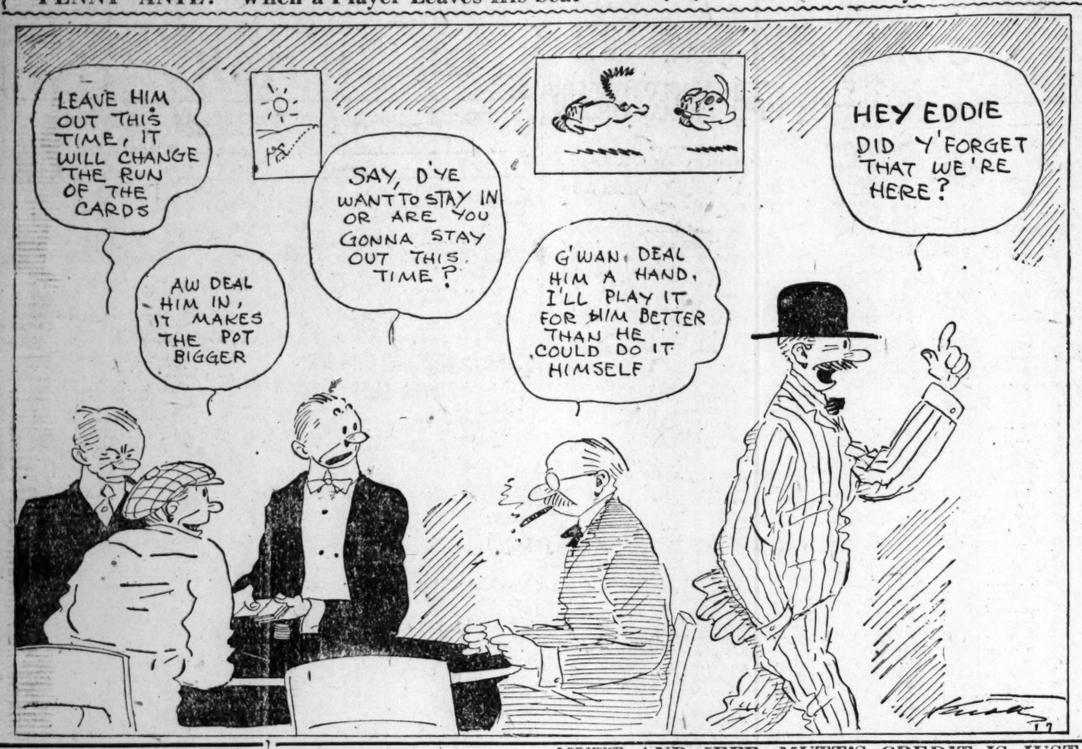

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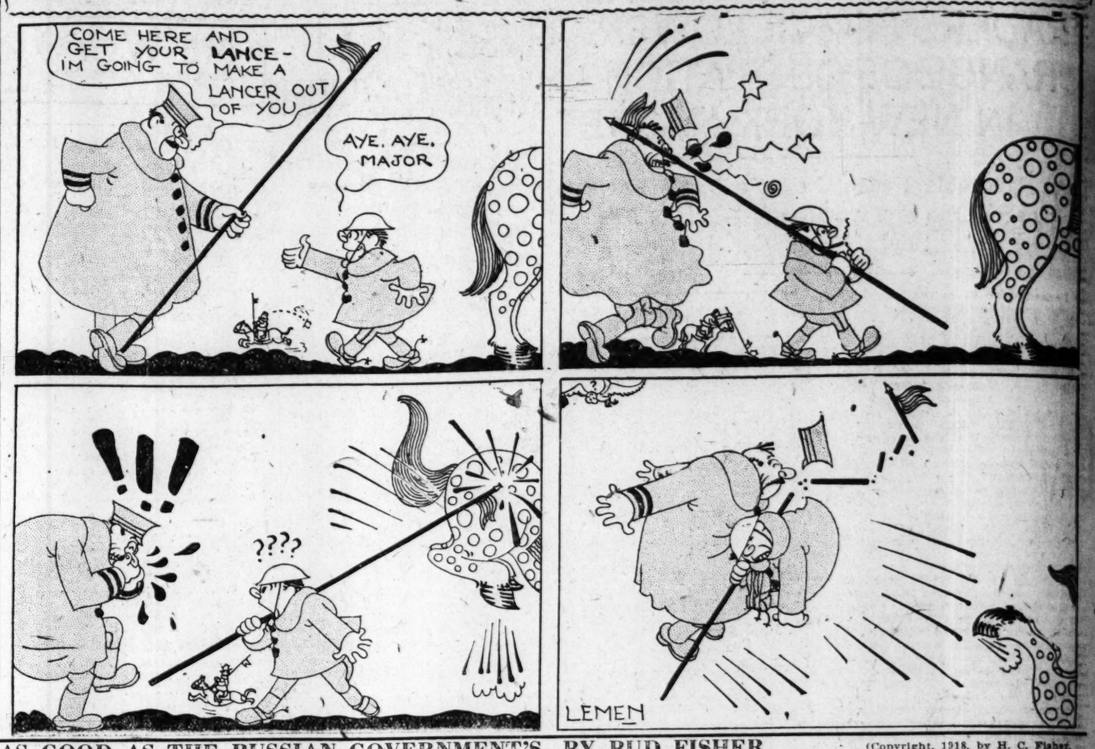

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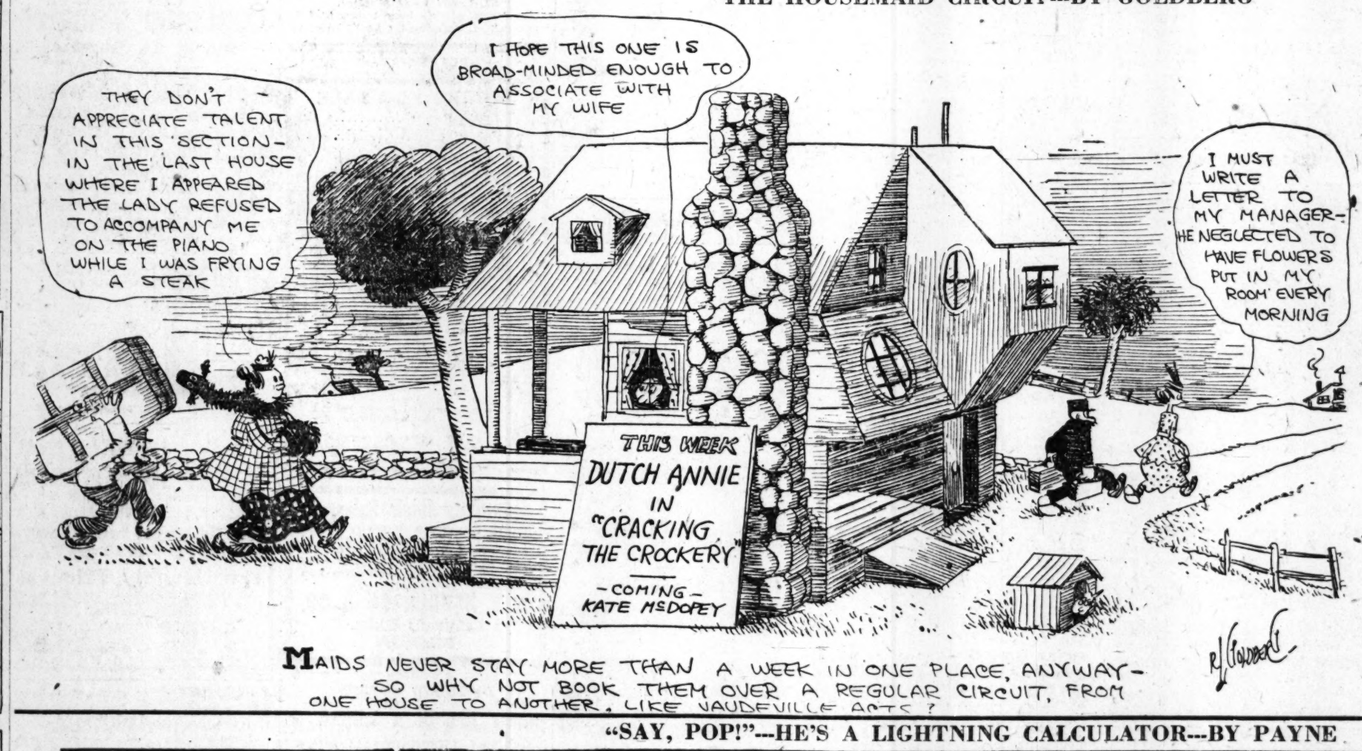

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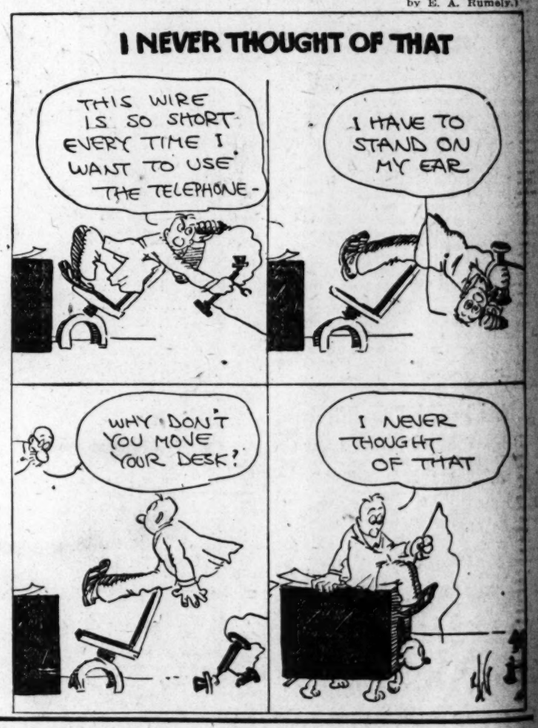
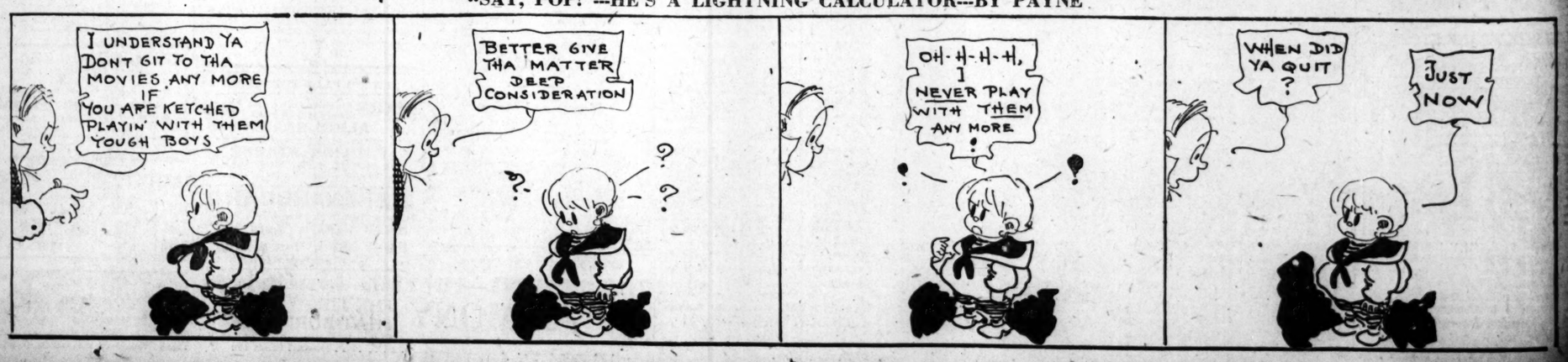
I NEVER THOUGHT OF THAT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